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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Schooner Wm. M. Bird wrecked in the October hurricane off Frying-pan Shoals; the master and ten of the crew were drowned. —— Vice President Hobart's condition is unchanged. —— A syndicate proposes to obtain control of leading ship building concerns in the United States. —— Dewey and his bride were mobbed by a crowd of enthusiasts on the streets in New York. —— A British transport said to have foundered. —— Bombardment and attack on Kimberley began yesterday morning. —— Transports with over three thousand British troops arrived at Cape Town. —— Two safes robbed of about $1,000 in cash, checks and other valuable papers at Clarkesville, Ga. —— Montgomery, Ala., is to be the next place of meeting of the United Daughters of the Confederacy. —— Latest official returns of the Kentucky election show a large plurality for Goebel, Democratic candidate for Governor. —— —— New York markets: Money on call easy at 3@6 per cent.; cotton quiet; middling uplands 7½c; flour dull and easy; wheat spot weak; No. 2 red 73½c; corn—spot easy; No. 3 40½c; oats—spot dull; No 2 23c; rosin steady; strained common to good $1 22½@1.25; spirits turpentine quiet at 51@51½c.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 11.

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 54 degrees; 8 P. M., 62 degrees; maximum, 73 degrees; minimum, 52 degrees; mean, 62 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .0; rainfall since 1st of the month up to date, .34.

Stage of water in the river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., 4.8 feet.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Nov 11.—For North Carolina—Fair and colder Sunday; diminishing northwest winds; Monday fair.

Port Almanac---Nov. 12.

Sun Rises	6 36 A. M
Sun Sets	4 52 P. M
Day's Length	10 H. 15 M
High Water at Southport	2 58 A. M.
High Water, Wilmington	6.28 A. M

A $200,000,000 bicyle, automobile and rubber trust is the latest project reported. There is probably a good deal of stretching in that.

An exchange hopefully remarks that "Kentucky may do better next year." If she doesn't she had better go out of the voting business.

General Brialmont, of Belgium, gives the British the cheerful opinion that they can down the Boers in about six months with 70,000 men.

A new explosive, called theorite, has been invented, which, it is said, will not explode in fire nor by concussion. It never goes off without being told to go.

Some New York thieves who recently undertook to steal an iron stair case and steam boiler succeeded in getting away with the stair-case but found the boiler too hot.

Mr. Eular, of Posey county, Indiana, seems to have a monopoly of the Angora cat industry. The past year he has sold about 3,000 at from $50 to $25 a head, and raked in about $100,000.

An anti-trust baking powder concern has been started in the West with a capital of $1,000,000. It proposes to spend $500,000 in advertising in the papers. This is no concern of ours, but that thing is starting out right.

Prof. Kalb, of Germany, predicts a mash up of the earth to-morrow at 3 o'clock P. M. sharp, by a collide with the Temple comet. This doesn't give us much time to get ready for it, but Kalb has been in the predicting business for some time, and the only things mashed were his predictions.

Esterhazy, who did the writing which got Dreyfus banished, has been practically banished himself. He has been convicted of swindling his cousin out of $7,000, has been sentenced to jail for several months, to a fine and been ordered to refund the $7,000. As he don't want to refund nor go to jail he will probably get as far away from France as he can.

Our dairy exports amounted in 1890 to $13,081,856. Last year they had fallen to $9,095,570, a loss of about $4,000,000 the result of dishonest practices, and palming off fraudulent compounds. By honest dealing the Canadian dairymen have built up their foreign trade in twenty years from $500,000 to $17,000,000 a striking proof that in the long run honesty is the best policy. The dishonest man not only destroys his own business but also that of the honest dealer who wants to do business straight.

LOCAL DOTS.

— Policeman Stead is off on a two weeks' leave of absence.

— Tom Wimbush, colored, was the only offender before the municipal court yesterday. He was fined $5 for drunkenness.

— The tug *Blanche* is still on the beach and her re-launching is retarded by the very low tide incident to the moon's phase.

— During the week ending last night the Register of Deeds granted marriage licenses to three white and five colored couples.

— Another dog was killed by the police yesterday, making an average of one rabid animal killed each day during the past week.

— The Ladies' Concordia Society will give a euchre party at the rooms of Harmony Circle, in the MacRae building, on Monday night.

— Rev. Jos. P. King has signified his intention of returning from Brunswick, Ga., to Wilmington to accept the pastorate of the Second Advent church, a call which has been twice tendered him.

— Mrs. Annie Bowen's class will give a festival on Thursday night, at the residence of Mr. E C. Craft, on Fifth between Dock and Orange streets, for the benefit of Fifth Street M. E. church.

— The locking apparatus to the outer cell door of the guard house, through which the negroes Gilliam and Blocker escaped Friday afternoon, was yesterday repaired by the Wilmington Iron Works.

— During the past week Messrs. Vollers & Hashagen, with the representative of Messrs. Powell, Smith & Co., of New York, manufacturers of Cuban Blossom cigars, sold 52,000 of that popular brand of cigar in this city.

— The guaranteed regular everyday circulation of THE MORNING STAR is much larger than that of any other daily newspaper published in Wilmington. This claim has never been challenged by any competing newspaper.

— The stockholders in the new cemetery company, which was recently organized, will hold another meeting to-morrow night to get their plans fully matured before beginning work on the site, which has already been purchased.

— The friends of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Edens, of Wrightsville Sound, will sympathize with them deeply in the loss of their little six-year-old son, Lonnie, which occurred yesterday morning at 2.15 o'clock, of diphtheria. The remains will be interred at Stump Sound.

— The tug *Protector*, of the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Co., arrived in port yesterday from Charleston with the barge *Carrie L. Tyler* in tow, laden with fertilizer material for the Navassa Guano Company The *Protector* will probably take out the *Maria Dolores* to-day.

— The Girls' Missionary Band of the First Baptist church will give an entertainment, "A Carnival of Books," at the armory of the Boys' Brigade of the church Wednesday night. Refreshments will be served and a small admittance charged, the proceeds being for the benefit of missions.

— Mr. B. F. King, City Tax Collector, is breaking all records this year in turning revenue into the treasury. Up to last night $48,393 58 had been collected, against $26,116 52 up to November 12th, 1898. Sheriff MacRae is also making phenomenal collections, but not so large as he desires for the future.

— Messrs. N. Jacobi, H. O. Craig, J. S. Sneeden, W. W. Yopp and W. H. Howell have been appointed a joint committee from the Odd Fellow lodges of the city to receive the annual contributions from the lodgemen and their friends for the children of the Home at Goldsboro. Donations may be handed to either of the above named gentlemen.

— Mr. H. J. Hilton, accompanied by his uncle, Mr. O. L. Hilton, of Ludington, Mich., passed through the city yesterday from Boardman, N. C., on the return home with the remains of his wife, who died at Boardman in December last. Mr. Hilton was formerly employed at Boardman with the Hub Lumber Co.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

A. Shrier—For comfort.
Mercer & Evans—At retail.
S. B. Solomon—Plain facts.
Vollers & Hashagen—Flour.
Dingelhoef Bros.—Headaches.
C. W. Polvogt Co.—Golf plaids.
M. H. Curran—They stand high.
Geo. O. Gaylord—Trade increases.
Southeastern R. R. Co.—Meeting.
Taylor's Bazaar—Save you dollars.
W. & W. R R —Meeting stockholders
VonGlahn & Gibson—Furnishings.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

P H. Hayden—For sale
Valuable Land—For sale.
John G. Russell—Wanted.
Notice—To agents, salesmen

Southeastern R. R. Co.

Mr. James F. Post, Jr., Secretary of the Southeastern Railroad Company, has officially called a meeting of the stockholders of the road to meet at the office of the company in Wilmington on Wednesday, November 22nd, at 11 o'clock.

On account of the National Export Exposition the Atlantic Coast Line will sell round trip tickets to Philadelphia at $14 35, limited ten days from date of sale. Tickets on sale November 14th and 21st.

THE MASONIC TEMPLE

Historical Sketch of the Movement to Erect the Handsome Structure.

THE TEMPLE CORPORATION.

Completion of the Home of the Masons to Be Celebrated by a Great Fair Next Week—Preparations for the Coming Event.

As the handsome Masonic Temple approaches its completion, which is to be celebrated by the great Fair to be held here from November 20th to December 3rd, it will be of more than ordinary interest to STAR readers generally, as well to the Masonic brethren of this State, to know something of the history of the undertaking and its successful consummation. The following sketch prepared by a well posted member of the fraternity will, therefore, be read with much pleasure :

The Masonic Temple Corporation was incorporated by an Act of the General Assembly of North Carolina the 8th day of March, 1895. It was chartered "to erect, establish and maintain a building for the use, benefit and occupancy of the several orders of Masonry situated within the Masonic jurisdiction of Wilmington, North Carolina." The capital stock is one thousand dollars, which is owned and only allowed to be owned by the five Masonic bodies of this city. These are St John's Lodge No. 1, Wilmington Lodge No. 319, Orient Lodge No. 395, Concord Chapter No. 1 and Plantagenet Commandery No. 1. The Eminent Commander, High Priest and Worshipful Masters represent each his commandery, chapter or lodge in all stockholders' meetings. Its organization was effected at the first meeting of the Masonic bodies mentioned, assembled as stockholders, held on December 2ad, 1895. Dr. W. E. Storm represented the Commandery, Mr. M. S. Willard Concord Chapter, Mr. M. C. S. Noble Orient Lodge, Mr. John C. Stout St. John's Lodge, and Mr. R. H. Grant Wilmington Lodge, at the organization meeting. The directors then elected, five in number, were Messrs. H. H. Munson, T. F. Bagley, M. S. Willard, M. C. S. Noble and Dr. J. E. Matthews. At a subsequent meeting of the directors, Mr. H. H. Munson was elected president, Mr. T. F. Bagley vice president, Mr. M. S. Willard, secretary. Afterwards, Mr. Munson, upon his resignation as both president and director, was succeeded by Mr. M. S. Willard as president and Mr. Iredell Meares as a director. Mr. Jas. C. Munds succeeded Dr. J. E. Matthews as a director, and Mr. M. S. Willard as secretary. Mr E. S. Martin, who succeeded Mr. Noble as a director, was in turn succeeded by Mr. H. G Smallbones.

At different times between its incorporation and the spring of 1898 various schemes were considered for the building of a Temple, but did not materialize. The erection of a fifteen thousand dollar Temple on the site of the Masonic Temple on Market street was proposed, but abandoned The apparently insurmountable difficulty confronted the directors to meet the expectations and desires of the Masonic brethren with a cash capital only of one thousand dollars.

Finally, in the spring of 1898, the then directors, Messrs. M. S. Willard, T. F. Bagley, James C. Munds, H. G. Smallbones and Iredell Meares, conceived and matured the plan by which the Temple is now building. They purchased the site of the old First National or Dawson Bank, on Front street. On this formerly stood a building erected about the year 1808, which in ante bellum days was used as a banking house and residence for its cashier. It was constructed of brick, stuccoed, with iron porticoes, and for its day and generation was not an inelegant building. The property was purchased for $16,000. One thousand dollars, the corporation's capital, was paid in cash and the property mortgaged for the unpaid balance. On May 2d, 1898, at a stockholders' meeting, after an explanation of the proposed plan of erecting the Temple, the action of the directors in negotiating for the site was approved and the purchase authorized. At this meeting St. John's Lodge was represented by Mr. F. H. Fechtig, W. M.; Orient Lodge by Mr. M. S. Willard, W. M.; Wilmington Lodge by Mr. Chas. H. Robinson, W. M.; Concord Chapter by Mr. A. J. Howell, Sr., H. P.; and Plantagenet Commandery by Mr. W. P. Toomer, E. C. There were doubts and misgivings in those days, even among Masons, as to the undertaking, but having taken the first step in the selection of the site, the directors addressed themselves to the "Ways and Means Problem." The plan devised, and which it now being carried into effect, was approved by the corporation and authorized It was to issue thirty five thousand, first mortgage, six per cent., twenty year bonds, for the erection of the Temple, and fifteen thousand, second mortgage, six per cent., fifteen year bonds for the payment of the unpaid balance due for the site. This makes a bonded indebtedness of $50,000 which now covers the entire property. It was estimated that the building while affording elegant apartments for the Masonic bodies, would yield rental enough to pay interest on the bonded debt and create a small surplus for a sinking fund. The first mortgage bonds were taken by two insurance companies and one of the leading citizens of this city. The second mortgage bonds were subscribed for by citizens and Masons resident in Wilmington. As the building has neared completion, the directors feel that their estimates as to the rental value of the property will be realized. The entire cost of the property, however, will amount to about $58,000.

The object of the Masonic Fair soon to be held is to realize money with which to pay the floating debt over and above the bonded indebtedness of the corporation.

The plans by which the building is being erected were prepared by Mr. Charles McMillen, formerly of Duluth, Minn., and have met with very general approval. He is an architect of experienced and marked ability. Fourteen Masonic temples have been built in different cities by plans and specifications prepared by him. He is himself a Mason. He has personally supervised, in a most acceptable manner, the erection of the Masonic Temple here.

On March 2, 1899, the building contract was awarded to Messrs. D. Gatez & Co., of Knoxville, Tenn. The construction work has been under the immediate direction of their representative here, Mr. D. Hanna, an experienced and skilled builder, and has been performed in a satisfactory manner, except for the unavoidable delays, which have been chiefly caused by the unprecedented demand for skilled labor and material all over the country.

The corner stone was laid on May 18 1899, with masonic ceremonies by the Grand Master and the officers of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina. Hon. Julian S. Carr delivered an eloquent address on that memorial occasion.

The dedication of the Temple will occur on the 21st day of November, 1899, when the grand officers of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina will be present and participate in the ceremonies. Hon. Fabius H. Busbee of Raleigh, N. C., a Past Grand Master, will deliver the dedication address.

In July last the labors of the directors having so greatly increased, at their request the stockholders increased their number from five to ten, and elected to serve on the board, in addition to the other directors, Messrs. W. E Springer, James F. Post, Jr., Isaac Bear, W. R. Kenan and Charles W. Worth. These gentlemen have given their active support to the enterprise, and since becoming directors have materially aided in the furtherance of the work.

The Temple will stand as a monument to the order to which it is dedicated. It is a handsome building of brown stone press brick front. The first floor has three handsome stores. These will be occupied by Mr. H. L Fennell as a harness store, by the Fishblate Clothing Company as a clothing store, and Mr. Jas. C. Munds as a drug store The second story is devoted to offices completed in modern style and many of these are already occupied. Among those who will occupy the office floor are Messrs. Bridgers & McKeithan, Dr. W. C. Galloway, Messrs. Rountree & Carr, the Colonial Dames Society, Mr. George H. Howell, Mr. George Harriss, Jr., Mr. Iredell Meares, Mr. E. S. Martin, Mr. Robert Ruark, Drs. Davis & Hawes, Dr. R. E Zachery and Mr. W. H. McElwee. The third floor will be occupied by the Masonic bodies. There will be two handsome halls, one for the Blue Lodge and for the Commandery and Chapter, with a banquet hall. The fourth floor, front, is devoted to a beautiful ball room, with an arch ceiling, and parlors, reception rooms and cafe.

Our citizens, as well as the Masons, experience a pride and gratification at the erection of a building which reflects credit upon both the enterprise of the order and of the city.

The conception and erection of this beautiful Temple illustrates strikingly how men by concert of action and unity of purpose can accomplish great things for the upbuilding of their city and State, as well as for the order in whose honor and for whose purpose it has been primarily erected.

Wilmingtonian's Success.

The Gainesville, Fla., *Sun*, is expressing some roseate views about the bright future of that city, on account of its continual growth and the extension of the Gainesville & Gulf Railway. The road is soon to be extended to deep water on the Gulf.

The *Sun* says editorially of the road:

"In this connection we are pleased to observe that Mr. W. W. Harriss, Jr., has been appointed freight and passenger agent for this city. A better appointment could not have been made. Mr. Harriss is a courteous gentleman, a hustling business man, universally popular and has had ample experience to thoroughly qualify him for the responsible duties which will be incumbent upon him."

The *Sun* also make this following reference in its local department:

"The many friends of W. W. Harriss, Jr., are congratulating him upon his approvement as agent for the Gainesville and Gulf Railroad at this point. Mr. Harriss has been employed jointly by the Gainesville & Gulf and the F. C. P. railroad for some time and is a railroad man of high ability. In his appointment the management of the road made a wise selection."

Mr. Harriss is a son of Dr. W. W. Harriss of Wilmington and he has a host of friends here who will be pleased to learn of his success asa railroad man.

Consul John Gore Long.

Mr. D. L. Gore calls the STAR'S attention to the fact that Mr. John G. Long, diplomatic agent and Consul General at Cairo, Egypt, was not a native of Wilmington as stated in yesterday's paper. Rev. Gabriel Long, a Baptist minister and father of the consul, was born in Brunswick county, this State, and married Miss Elizabeth Ann Gore, of Columbus county and an aunt of Mr. D. L. Gore. Mr. Gore says that he is almost sure that they lived in Columbus county until the family left for Florida, though they may have lived in Brunswick county, this State, or Horry county, S. C., as the three come together at a point about four miles from his grandfather's residence. John Gore Long, the consul, is the oldest son.

Schooner Ida Lawrence.

The schooner *Ida Lawrence*, Capt. Campbell, which was towed into Southport in distress by the British steamship *Emma* during the recent storm, has settled all claims for salvage, etc., and has engaged the tug *Alexander Jones* to tow her to Newport News, her destination. A board of survey, consisting of Col. John Wilder Atkinson, Mr. W. N. Harriss and Capt. Edgar D. Williams, will visit the vessel on Monday at South port and arrange other details necessary to her departure.

Installing the Machinery.

The erecting engineers, who are here representing the various concerns which furnish the machinery for the Delgado Cotton Mills, are making good progress in the installment of the machinery in the new factory. The spinning frames are rapidly being placed in position.

Buy your Carpets and Mattings of The C. W. Polvogt Co. †

See the 50 cents Neck Wear at The Polvogt Co. †

See the Umbrellas at $1.25 sold by The Polvogt Co. Gents or ladies. †

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. J. L. Anders, of Pecan, arrived in the city last evening.

— Mr. V. W. Moore, of Charlotte, was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

— Messrs. J. W. Lea and J. F. Parker, of Lumberton, were here yesterday.

— Mr. J. H. W. Bonitz returned yesterday from a business trip to Goldsboro.

— Messrs. Sam Blossom and W. H. Shearin, of Castle Haynes, spent yesterday in the city.

— The STAR regrets to note that there is no improvement in the condition of Mr. Josh T. James.

— Miss Jennie Oldham, of Chapel Hill, is in the city. the guest of the family of Capt. W. P. Oldham on South Third street.

— Mr. Harry Rosenthal, formerly of this city, representing Brunhild, Simon & Co., of Philadelphia, has been in Wilmington the past week, shaking hands with his host of friends.

— Mrs. John E. Hair, of Cumberland county, is in the city on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. C. D. Gilbert, No. 806 Chesnut street. Mrs. Gilbert's grandmother, Mrs. J. B. Hair, is also visiting her.

Packard Opera Company.

The Dan Packard Opera Company and orchestra, numbering over thirty persons and well sustained every where it has been by the most complimentary press notices, will open a week's engagement at the Opera House to-morrow evening, presenting "The Mascot." At this performance, any lady with a special ticket and accompanied by a person holding a paid fifty cent ticket, will be admitted free. Seats are on sale at Gerken's at moderate, prices ranging from 15 to 50 cents.

A telegram to the STAR last night from Mr. C. L. Stevens of the Newbern *Journal* says: "The Packard Opera Company have captured Newbern by their splendid performance. Crowded house nightly."

Claim for Damages Settled.

The Clyde Steamship Company has settled a claim for damages with Mrs. Sarah A. Lindquist, widow of the late Charles Lindquist, who was burned to death as the result of an explosion on one of the company's steamships in New York, particulars of which are known to STAR readers. The accident occurred on July 23rd of the present year, and $1,000 was paid to Mrs. Lindquist, as administratrix. She is a daughter of Mr. J. W. Branch, of this city. A deed of release was filed by Mrs. Lindquist to the Clyde Steamship Company with the Register of Deeds yesterday.

From the West Indies.

The British schooner *Brothers*, 125 tons, Capt. Kelly, arrived from Nassau, New Providence yesterday having cleared that port October 21st, and sailed November 1st.

The *Brothers* is one of the many smaller craft which run to this port in the Winter, bringing fruit from the West Indies. Capt. Kelly says the August hurricane down in the islands has played havoc with the fruit and he thinks there will be a dearth of "fruit vessels" to visit this port this season.

The *Brothers* came in ballast from Nassau and will be loaded with shingles by J. A Springer & Co.

Damage to Fort Caswell.

The STAR learns that the damage to Fort Caswell by the West India hurricane of October 31st, was of such a serious nature that the government will have to spend $200,000 to restore the work and provide for protection against future storms. The damage to the works is estimated at $50,000, but in order to afford protection from storms in the future, a break-water will have to be constructed around almost the entire island. This, it is estimated, will cost $200,000.

Funeral Yesterday Afternoon.

The funeral of Mrs. Susan Ann Knight, wife of Mr. John Knight, was conducted yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock from St. James Episcopal Church by Rev. Dr. Robert Strange, rector of the parish. The interment was at Bellevue Cemetery, the pall bearers being: Messrs. Chas. Schnibben, P. N. Fick, E. G. Yopp and Robt. Sanford.

Opera House.

Mabel Paige and Marshall's Musical Comedy Company gave their farewell performance last night to a good audience. The bill presented was a very laughable comedy in three acts. The "*Girl from Ireland.*"

A strong company is coming to the Opera House in the near future, presenting "*The Moth and Flame*" by Herbert Kelsy and Miss Effie Shannon.

Leaves for Atlanta.

Mr. Thos. S. Kenan, Jr., an exceedingly popular young man of Wilmington, who has for some time creditably filled a position of trust with the North Carolina Cotton Oil Company, has resigned his position there to accept a more lucrative one with the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Co., at Atlanta, and will leave Monday for his new post of duty.

See The Polvogt Co. on Window Shades. †

See the new Plaids at The Polvogt Co.; comes in skirt lengths. †

The best $1.00 Kid gloves in the city will be found at The C. W. Polvogt Company. †

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Services in St. John's Church this morning at 11 o'clock.

St. Thomas' Church—First Mass and Holy Communion, 7 A. M.; High Mass and sermon, 10 30 A. M.; Vespers, 7.45 P. M.

There will be a special missionary service at Southside Baptist church to night by the Young People's Society of Willing Workers. A collection for State Missions will be taken.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Sixth and Market streets, Rev. A G Voigt pastor. German services to day at 11 A. M; English services at 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 3:30 P. M.

St. Matthew's English Church, North Fourth street above Bladen, Rev. G D Bernheim, pastor. Morning service at 11 o'clock. No service at night. Sunday school at 9 30 A. M. All seats free and every person welcome.

St. James' church, twenty fourth Sunday after Trinity. Services: 7 45 A. M., the holy communion; 11 A. M., morning prayer, sermon, ante-communion; 5 P. M., evening prayer Sunday school at 3.45 P. M. Public cordially invited.

Rev. R E Peele, one of the original and eloquent preachers of South Carolina, will occupy Dr. Blackwell's pulpit at the First Baptist church both morning and night to day. He is editor of *Peele's Periodical*, which for pith and point has few equals in religious journalism.

Rev. J. T Phillips, of Pitt county, is preaching some especially strong sermons during the series of services now being conducted at the Second Advent Church and much good is being accomplished. Services will be held each night until Wednesday at 7.45 o'clock, but there will be services this morning at the usual hour. Also to-night. There will be a baptismal service at 6 o'cock this afternoon.

Entertainment at Castle Haynes.

The ladies of Castle Haynes will give an entertainment next Thursday night at Blossom's Hall for the benefit of the Castle Haynes Baptist Church. Refreshments will be served, and during the evening there will be a nice programme. A band of music is going up from Wilmington, and no doubt quite a number of young people from this city will take in the entertainment. The proceeds are to be devoted to the payment of the church debt.

Football Prospects.

The O. A. N. football eleven closed a week of very satisfactory progress yesterday and will begin the new week with renewed energy. Arrangements are on foot for a game with Horner's School and it may be possible that the details will be settled in time for the contest to be "pulled off" on the grid iron here Thanksgiving. The local enthusiasts will hail with delight the announcement of a game with the "cadets" from Oxford.

To City Subscribers.

City subscribers are earnestly requested to report promptly at the STAR office every failure of the carriers to deliver their papers. In all such cases steps will be taken to insure prompt and regular delivery.

THE LATE GEORGE HARRISS.

Resolutions of Respect Adopted by the Cape Fear Pilots' Association.

SOUTHPORT, N. C, November 10, 1899.

An urgent meeting of the Cape Fear Pilots' Association was called by the President at half past six P. M. for the consideration of resolutions of respect to the memory of the late George Harriss, Esq., who has been a life long friend of the Pilots.

The object of the meeting was stated by Capt J J Adkins

Remarks were made by some of the Pilots in sorrowful tones of the death of the one man who has stood by us in our most trying hours, and often to the detriment of his own interests.

On motion, a committee, consisting of Captains C. C. Stores, J. W Craig, J. J. Adkins and H C. Corbett, was appointed to prepare suitable resolutions, which were unanimously adopted, as follows:

Whereas, God in His wisdom has seen fit to remove from our midst George Harriss, a tried and true friend, and, we may say our oldest one who often hazarded his own business in taking up our cause when others in overwhelming numbers were fighting us. He stood by us unto death; therefore, be it

Resolved That in the death of George Harriss this Association has lost its oldest and best friend, a firm and wise counsellor.

Resolved, That while we recognize the work of God in this sad bereavement, we deeply deplore his death and mourn the loss of one who had been so faithful to us.

Resolved, That the sympathy of this Association be tendered to his bereaved family, and that the Secretary send to them a copy of these resolutions, and also to THE MORNING STAR and *Messenger*, with request to publish.

Many remarks of regret were expressed by the members of the Association, after which the meeting adjourned.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Furnishings Furnished---

When you buy a Tie or a Collar or a Pair of Cuffs, you want low prices, style durability and comfort, don't you? Some times you get it, and some times you don't. It depends on where you buy Don't judge all stores by the place where you don't get what you want Some store must offer better advantages than the others. The thing to do is to find that store. Start here. It may save you a journey.

VONGLAHN & GIBSON, Men's Wear Depot, nov 5 tf No. 120 Market St.

ENGAGEMENT EXTRAORDINARY.

Opera House.

One Week of Splendid Opera, Commencing MONDAY, NOVEMBER 13. The famous

Dan Packard Opera Company and Orchestra.

35 Artists, Superb Cast, Great Chorus, Handsome Costumes. Presenting

Monday Night, "THE MASCOT."

Prices, 50, 35, 25 and 15 cents. Seats on sale at Gerken's cigar store Saturday Nov. 11th. nov 9 4t

NEW CROP NUTS.

2,000 Pounds Mixed Nuts.
5,000 New C. C. Nuts.
1,000 Pounds Grated C. C. Nuts.
4,000 Pounds New Raisins,
100 Barrels Baldwin Apples,
1,200 Bushels New Peanuts.
6,000 Pounds New Rice.
5,500 Pounds New Mullets.
2,400 Pounds White Fish.
1,800 Bushels R. P. Oats.
200 Bushels Rye and Wheat.

We have no old holiday goods to work off.

W. B. COOPER, Wholesale Grocer, oct 30 tf Wilmington, N. C

No Rag Time Talk, Plain Facts.

No matter how good times are; no matter if all kinds of Dry Goods are going up; there will always be some lots of good new stocks forced to sale somewhere. We are looking out for just such, and it is only the cost of watchfulness on your part to share such chances, and cut down your bills considerably during the year.

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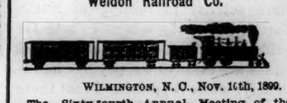
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Office of the Secretary of the Wilmington & Weldon Railroad Co.



WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 10th, 1899.

The Sixty-fourth Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad Company will be held at the office of the Company at Wilmington, N. C., on Wednesday, November 22nd, 1899, at 12 o'clock M. JAMES F. POST, Jr., Secretary, nov 10 till 22 W. & W. R. R. Co.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 11th, 1899.

Office of the Secretary and Treasurer of the Southeastern Railroad Co. of North Carolina.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Southeastern Railroad Co. of North Carolina will be held at the office of the company at Wilmington, N. C., on Wednesday, November 22nd, 1899, at 11 o'clock A. M.

JAMES F. POST, Jr., nov 12 1t Secretary S. E. R. R. Co.

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Nice New Decorated Dinner Sets, ranging from

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Cotton, Spirits, Timber, Tar, Eggs, Pork, Cattle are selling well. We keep posted on all change in markets

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Nice Apples, Mullets, Cabbages

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20 bbls Nice Apples.
25 bags C. C. Nuts.
300 bags Coffee.
63 bbls Rice.
100 bbls Sugar.
99 bbls Mullets.
5 bbls Mullet Roe.

D. L. GORE, 120, 122 and 124 North Water street, nov 9 tf Wilmington, N. C.

Drs. Davis & Hawes, Dentists,

Room No. 1, Masonic Temple. nov 7 tf

PUBLISHER'S ANNOUNCEMENT.

THE MORNING STAR, the oldest daily newspaper in North Carolina, is published daily except Monday, $5.00 year, $2.50 for six months, $1.25 for three months, 50 cents for one month to mail subscribers. Delivered to city subscribers at the rate of 45 cents per month for any period from one month to one year.

ADVERTISING RATES (DAILY)—One square one day, $1.00; two days, $1.75; three days, $2.50; four days, $3.00; five days, $3.50; one week, $4.00; two weeks, $6.50; three weeks, $8.50; one month, $10.000; two months, $17.00; three months, $24.00; six months, $40.00; twelve month, $60.00. Ten lines of solid Nonpariel type make one square.

THE WEEKLY STAR is published every Friday morning at $1.00 per year, 60 cents for six months, 30 cents for three months.

All announcements of Fairs, Festivals, Balls, Hops Picnics, Society Meetings, Political meetings, &c., will be charged regular advertising rates.

Advertisements discontinued before the time contracted for has expired, charged transient rates for time actually published.

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Payments for transient advertisements must be made in advance. Known parties, or strangers with proper reference, may pay monthly or quarterly, according to contract.

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Communications, unless they contain important news or discuss briefly and properly subjects of real interest, are not wanted; and, if acceptable in every other way, they will invariably be rejected if the real name of the author is withheld.

Notices of Marriage or Death, Tributes of Respect, Resolutions of Thanks, &c., are charged for as ordinary advertisements, but only half rates when paid for strictly in advance. At this rate 50 cents will pay for a simple announcement of Marriage or Death.

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The Morning Star.

BY WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUNDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 12.

WHY WE CAN COMPETE.

English manufacturers are very much concerned about American competition, the success of which they do not fully understand. They would like very much to know what is hitting them and how it is that the hitters hit so hard. One of the London engineering journals undertakes to enlighten them on the subject, and prefaces its task as follows:

"No industrial question at the present time has so been an interest to British manufacturers as that connected with American competition. It has been brought prominently into notice on more than one occasion during the past six months, but for several years past our manufacturers, merchants and shippers have been unable to close their eyes to the fact that since the United States have recovered from the effects of the great panic of 1893 they have steadily become more dangerous antagonists, not only in this country, but in foreign markets, and especially in those markets which we have been accustomed to regard as our own. It is still urged by not a few persons that this competition is factitious; that in order to take away our customers goods are supplied by enterprising Americans at a loss; that the articles forced on the markets of the world in preference to our own are of inferior quality and will not stand the test of time and use, and that this spurious phase of manufacture and commerce is but transient. But those who are able to take a broader view know that these statements are fallacious; they know that in many manufactured products the United States can beat us in price, and at least equal us in quality. * * * * The causes of these advantages are probably not understood by any one person, though the results may be kneely felt by all; and we believe that we shall be rendering a service of the highest value to British manufacturers if we are able to throw some light on the many aspects of a complicated problem.

It is not surprising that a good many Englishmen have an idea that the success of American competition will be merely transitory and that this success has been largely due to the efforts of American manufacturers to dispose of their surplus stocks, and of stuff that is not salable at home. Isn't that what we have been repeatedly told by the protectionists when replying to the charge by anti-protectionists that the manufacturers to whom protection was asserted to be a necessity were shipping their manufactures to foreign countries and selling them for less than they sold the same kind of goods in our own market? This was admitted, because it could not be denied, but was accounted for as above stated, namely, that the manufacturers were simply exporting their surplus or out-of-date goods and selling them for what they could get, rather than dump them into the rubbish heap. This seems to have made some impression on our English friends, who didn't know these protection boomers as well as home folks do, and it seems to have given them some consolation.

With the exercise of ordinary intelligence they will yet, if they have not already done so, discover that there is nothing in that. Perhaps the journal which has undertaken to throw some light on that question may help them to understand it. This may not be a very difficult task, for it will find a large amount of information bearing on this subject in our leading papers. There is a good deal embraced in small compass in the following from a recent issue of the Philadelphia *Record*:

"An elaborate report upon an investigation of the effect of machinery on the cost of production, prepared by the Commissioner of Labor, Hon. Carroll D. Wright, has just been issued; and a careful study of its exhaustive data will throw a flood of light upon the subject of American competition in manufactures. It is shown, for example, that Brussels carpet is now woven on power looms with an expenditure of only a half hour of labor per yard of carpet, whereas in 1850, when hand looms were used, more than eight times this amount of labor was expended to produce one yard. To make one of the old fashioned plows required 118 hours of labor, while the labor expended in the production of a modern plow is less than four hours. In spinning cotton it is stated that the ratio in favor of the machine as compared with hand spinning is about 200 to 1; and in various other operations connected with weaving still greater differences are recorded. In the manufacture of bolts, nuts, screws, and, indeed, all other finished products of iron and steel, the economy of labor due to the introduction of modern labor saving machinery has been astounding.

"A few years ago it was customary in England to sneer at many novel machines which were called "Yankee inventions." All this is now changed, however, and since the great strike of mechanics a few years ago England has been the most prominent market for the introduction of novel American machines. It is, however, in another branch of business that our manufacturers have made the most important progress in recent years—namely, in the invention and improvement of appliances for handling raw products of all kinds and heavy materials used in great engineering constructions with economy of time and labor. We must look to Egypt, the oldest nation in the world, for the most stupendous monument in stone ever erected by the hand of man—the great pyramid of Cheops. It is recorded in classical history that over 100,000 slaves were employed continuously for a long period of years in the erection of that wonderful tomb. Should a demand arise for the erection of a similar structure at the present day American engineers would undertake to complete the contract in one tenth the time, and with less than one-hundredth the number of men reputed to have been employed on the pyramid.

"In the erecting shops of the Baldwin Locomotive Works, when it is desirable to move a ponderous engine from one place to another, immense chains are lowered from the huge revolving iron drums of an electric travelling crane. The locomotive is quickly lifted from the floor, carried over the heads of the workmen and deposited on the spot assigned to it. All of the motions of the crane are easily controlled by one man, seated on an elevated platform, who operates a few little levers or switches. In the handling of steel ingots for great guns (weighing nearly as much as complete locomotives) similar appliances are now used. In transporting iron ore from the mines in the West to the furnaces in Pittsburg all the appliances are of the most powerful kind, and are designed to economise labor in every possible way.

"These are only a few suggestions which may serve to explain why American manufacturers have now attained a point where they are enabled to compete with those of the older nations in nearly all finished products, and to undersell foreign competitors in many, while paying far higher wages than are paid in any other country."

If our English contemporary uses ordinary diligence in pursuit of information it will find a good deal of this kind and of other kinds to throw light on the question and show how it is that American manufacturers can compete with the manufactures of other countries. Labor-saving machinery tells the story, but not all the story, for with that there is the universally conceded skill of the American in managing machinery and in economizing labor even where machinery is not employed. This, quite as much as the marvellous machinery, some of which is referred to in this extract which we make from the *Record*, is what excites the admiration of mechanical Europeans who visit our large manufactories, especially our great iron mills and machine shops, where one man guiding an automatic machine does what it would take hundreds of hands to-day.

A striking object lesson on this line was furnished on the Eastern Chinese Railway, part of the trunk line of the Trans-Siberian Railway from St. Petersburg to Port Arthur, which will be completed in twelve months less time than was calculated upon, because American railway construction machinery was employed. The builders looked and wondered as they saw the apparently impossible accomplished with a bewildering rapidity. The successful experiments with their labor-saving implements and machinery has put ship loads of it on that road, which is now being built at a rate that estimators never contemplated. Diamond drills operated with electricity, drill holes into mountains of stone, dynamite charges tear them up and steam shovels remove the loosened rock; great plows do the work of hundreds of men, and steam shovels remove the earth, and thus in a few days what it would take thousands of men weeks to do is done, better done and more cheaply. This is an illustration on American inventive genius, an object lesson which the Russians have turned to good account, and serves, in addition to other facts cited above, to show why Americans can successfully compete with the world.

ACTIVITY IN MINING.

There probably never has been more activity in mining in North Carolina than there is now, both for gold and copper. Some of the gold mines are said to be paying handsomely, while it is claimed that there are bonanzas in some of the copper mines. The principal activity in this is in Rowan county, where interest in it seems to center, concerning which we clip the following from a letter of a correspondent in the Raleigh *Post*:

"The mining industry in Rowan county has certainly taken a new lease on life this year. At the beginning of the present year there is not a mine of any description in operation, now the Union Copper, the Dutch Creek, the Morgan, Gropy, Whitney, Hambley and others are in operation, and are being worked mainly for copper. Since the first discovery of gold in Rowan, something over one hundred years ago, there have been no less than forty five different mines opened and operated for gold, but in the main these mines produced such low grade ores that one by one they were abandoned. However, as all the auriferous ores of this section contain copper, and a low grade copper mine being more valuable and productive than a low grade gold mine, the result is that one by one they are being re opened and worked for copper ore. The gold and the silver in the ore is saved, too, and generally pays for the cost of production and smelting, leaving the copper as a clear profit. Two of these mines are now reckoned as among the best copper properties in America. I refer to the Union, which is now turning out hundreds of tons daily, and the Groupy, which has just been reopened. The revival of interest and work in these mines has resulted in the sale of mining machinery and material to an amount running considerably over $100,000. Appropos the Rowan mines, it is not generally known, but Rowan county has produced and sent to the mint more gold than any other county east of the mining regions of the West."

The high price of copper is giving a boom to copper mining just now, and this may last for some time for the increased application of electricity as a motive power, and the various other uses found for copper may keep up the demand, but if there be any truth in the reports of the discoveries of cheap processes for working low grade gold ores, there is a bright prospect in the future for gold mining in this State, where the supply of low grade ores is practically inexhaustible.

PRITCHARD CAPTURES BUTLER

A Washington dispatch to the Raleigh *Post* states that Senator Marion Butler, after wrestling with his great mind for some time, has finally decided to climb over on to the anti-side of the constitutional amendment question and pool issues with Senator Pritchard. It is said that he and Pritchard have had several confabs in Washington recently and it is intimated that there has been some understanding as to the dealing out of government pap, but there may be nothing in this, for there isn't much to divide down this way now, and Butler will go out before another administration comes in.

We incline to the opinion that it is simply Butler's consuming desire to be conspicuous and pose as a leader that has decided his course on this question, as he will have a better opportunity to shine there, for there will be few looming figure in that side to overshadow him. His effort will doubtles be to wheel what there is left of the Populist party into line in opposition to the amendment, not so much on account of the opposition to the amendment as because it is a Democratic measure, and he thinks if he can rally the remaining Populists and get them to follow him this will put him in better shape to manipulate his wires in the future and make deals that may redound to the advantoge of Marion.

He always had a pretty large sized opinion of himself, but in his late decision he has not only overestimated that but also underestimated the intelligence of the Populists, whom he thinks he can lead in opposition to white supremacy. But as far as the amendment is concerned it doesn't make a particle of difference which side Marion Butler is on.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— Since the no faced law, compelling hogs to be penned away from the fields partridges have enormously increased. Hogs running at large broke up thousands of nests. —*Augusta Chronicle, Dem.*

—— Among the biggest of big schemes is that which is reported as in process of James J. Hill. It is nothing less than a rail and steamer line all the way from England to China, crossing the American Continent by way of his railroad, the Great Northern. The success of the scheme would depend on the saving of time for passengers and of cost for freight, but there seems to be nothing intrinsically impossible about it.—*Philadelphia Ledger, Ind.*

—— "I expect to be on hand for Congress," writes Gen. Wheeler from Manila. What can be the matter the little old warrior? Is there not fighting enough in the Philippines to suit him, or is he disgusted with the Filipinos as an enemy? It is very well known that Wheeler would rather fight than make laws, hence if he is voluntarily going to quit the old field and come home to re-enter the cave of the winds in Washington, there must be something wrong. Or possibly the General has reached the conclusion that the fighting is about over.—*Savannah News, Dem.*

TWINKLINGS.

— "I can't arrange my hair to suit me." "How do you want it Flossie?" "I want it to look as if I had been playing basketball."

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the *Local Anzeiger* of Berlin repeats the report that Russians are marching toward the Afghan frontier.

— "They have got another splendid reason for keeping that Mormon with three wives out of Congress." "What is it?" "No man can serve three masters and be a good citizen." —*Cleveland Plain Dealer.*

— Fuddy—"I want to get acquainted with Moskins, but I hardly know how to go about it; he's such a queer fish." Duddy—"A queer fish, eh? Why don't you drop him a line?" —*Boston Transcript.*

— Proof of Perversity: "Harry, I'm afraid our baby has a contrary disposition." "He's too young yet to have any characteristics." "Well, he's always getting sick when we have a dinner engagement."

— Miss Browning—"You should not complain; the editor took one of your poems." Jack Cribber—"Yes, but he took that measly little thing I plagarized from Byron, and rejected my own literary masterpiece."—*Judge.*

— "It's no wonder the German girls usually accept the first offer they get." "What do you mean by that?" "Why, they can accept a suitor with one word, but if they refuse him they'll have to use neiu!"—*Cleveland Plain Dealer.*

— Sergeant Brown—"Halt! you can't go in there." Private McGinnis—"Phoy not?" Sergeant Brown—"Because it is the General's tent, blockhead!" Private McGinnis—"Thin phoy in th' deuce hov they got 'Proivate' over th' door?"

Dr. Bull's COUGH SYRUP

Cures Croup and Whooping-Cough
Unexcelled for Consumptives. Gives quick, sure results. Refuse substitutes.

Dr. Bull's Pills cure Biliousness. Trial, 20 for 5c.

THE MOTHER HEART.

BY MARGARET E. SANGSTER.

Nobody sits in that little arm-chair;
It stands in a corner dim;
But a white haired mother gazes there,
And yearningly thinking of him,
Sees through the dust of long ago
The bloom on her boy's sweet face,
As he rocks so merely to and fro,
With a laugh that cheers the place.

Sometime he holds a book in his hand,
Sometimes a pencil and slate;
And the lesson is hard to understand,
And the figures hard to make;
But she sees the nod of the father's head,
So proud of his little son,
And she hears the word so often said,
"No fear of our little one."

They were wonderful days, the dear, sweet days
When child with sunny hair.
Was hers to scold, to kiss and to praise,
At her knee in the little chair.
She lost him back in her busy years,
When the great world caught the man,
As he strode away past hopes and fear,
To his place in the battle's van.

But now and then, in a wistful dream,
Like a picture out of date,
She sees a head with a golden gleam
Bent over a pencil and slate,
And she lives again the happy day,
The day of her young life's Spring,
When the small arm chair stood just in the way,
The centre of everything.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Chatham *Record*: An old colored man, named Nathan Taylor, died near here on last Sunday, who was over 88 years old.

— Wadesboro *Messenger-Intelligencer*: Charles Watkins, colored, who lived on the plantation of Mr. J. L. Pratt, on Pee Dee river, Morven township, was instantly killed Tuesday by a pea thrasher falling on him while he was assisting in unloading it from a wagon. His skull and body were horribly crushed.

— Greenville *Reflector*: Sheriff Mooring borrowed from the sheriff of Edgecombe county a gallows upon which to hang Elijah Joyner. When the gallows reached the depot here the negro draymen were afraid of it and wouldn't haul it. Finally one was found to move it, but he has been scared about it ever since.

— Salisbury *Truth*: A rather unusual incident sccurred at Whitlock & Rainey's store yesterday, when two one legged men customers entered and asked to be fitted with shoes. One of the men had the misfortune to be minus his right foot, while the other had been deprived of his left pedal extremity. A single pair of shoes served to to equip the two customers, and they left the store well pleased with the novel occurrence.

— Sanford *Express*: The "top crop" of cotton is a failure. It was killed by the early frost. The cotton crop in this section this yeear is short. It was believed by many of the buyers in the early fall that cotton would sell at ten cents before the 1st of January. So far the market has not reached 8 cents. Many of the farmers have been forced to sell their cotton at from 7 to 7½ cents to pay their debts. A great deal of the fleecy staple has been put on the market here this week. —— Hundreds of crates of fine cabbage are shipped every week by Sanford from Mt. Airy to different places in this and other States. Vegetables and fruit are furnished by Eastern North Carolina in the Spring and Summer and by Western North Carolina in the Fall. Some of the finest apples and cabbage raised in the State grow in the mountains and are shipped and sold to the people in the middle and eastern sections at a good profit. Mountain apples and cabbage are very sweet and have a good flavor.

A Frightful Blunder

Will often cause a horrible Burn, Scald, Cut or Bruise. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, will kill the pain and promptly heal it. Cures Old Sores, Fever Sores, Ulcers, Boils, Felons, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions. Best Pile cure on earth. Only 25c a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by ROBT. R BELLAMY, druggist. †

APPOINTMENTS

For Visitation by the Bishop of East Carolina.

November 16th, Thursday, Dawson's School House.

November 19th, Sunday, twenty-fifth after Trinity, M. P., St. John's, Pitt county.

November 21st, Tuesday, E. P., St. Paul's, Greenville.

November 22d, Wednesday, Com., St. Paul's, Greenville.

November 26th, Sunday before Advent, E. P., Trinity, Chocowinity.

November 26th, Sunday before Advent, E. M., St. Peter's, Washington.

November 30th, Thursday, Thanksgiving, M. P., Zion Church, Beaufort county.

December 3d, Sunday, first in Advent, M. P., St. Martin's, Hamilton.

December 10th, Sunday, second in Advent, M. P., St. Peter's, Gates county.

December 10th, Sunday, second in Advent, E. P., St. Mary's, Gatesville.

December 11th, Monday, Com., St. Mary's, Gatesville.

December 13th, Wednesday, St. Barnabas', Murfreesboro.

December 17th, Sunday, third in Advent, M. P., St. Mark's, Roxobel.

December 17th, Sunday, third in Advent, E. P., Grace Church, Woodville.

December 21st, Thursday Fest, St. Thomas, St. Thomas', Windsor.

December 24th, Sunday, fourth in Advent, M. P., Advent, Williamston.

December 25th, Christmas, Grace, Plymouth.

December 31st, Sunday after Christmas, St. Thomas', Atkinson.

M. P., morning prayer; E. P., evening prayer.

Holy communion at all morning services.

The children catechised when practicable.

The vestries will pleased be prepared to meet the bishop.

Offerings to be for Diocesan Missions.

— "War is dreadful, isn't it?" "I suppose so; but it helps Jimmy take an interest in his geography."

A Night of Terror.

"Awful anxiety was felt for the widow of the brave General Burnham, of Machias, Me., when the doctors said she could not live till morning," writes Mrs. S. H. Lincoln, who attended her that fearful night. "All thought she must soon die from Pneumonia, but she begged for Dr. King's New Discovery, saying it had more than once saved her life, and had cured her of Consumption. After three small doses she slept easily all night, and its further use completely cured her." This marvellous medicine is guaranteed to cure all Throat, Chest and Lung Diseases. Only 50c and $1 00. Trial bottles 10c at ROBT. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. †

SUNDAY SELECTIONS.

— The grace of the Spirit comes only from heaven and lights up the whole bodily presence.—*Spurgeon.*

— Let us be of good cheer, remembering that the misfortunes hardest to bear are those which never come. —*Lowell.*

— Make but a few explanations. The character that cannot defend itself is not worth vindicating.—*F. W. Robertson.*

— When a man has been guilty of any vice or folly, the best atonement he can make for it is to warn others not to fall into the like.—*Addison.*

— They slumber sweetly whom faith rocks to sleep. No pillow so soft as a promise; no coverlid so sure as an assured interest in Christ.—*Spurgeon.*

— The meanest, most contemptible kind of praise is that which first speaks well of a man and then qualifies it with a "but."—*Henry Ward Beecher.*

— God wants iron saints, and since there is no imparting iron to the moral nature other than by letting His people suffer, He lets them suffer. * * * The iron crown of suffering precedes the golden crown of glory.—*Rev. F. B. Meyer.*

— "He maketh the sun to rise on the evil and on the good," this beneficence to the just and unjust alike was the proof not of God's moral indifference, but of his measureless long suffering and his passion to redeem.—*David W. Forest.*

— Character which you are constructing is not your own. It is the building material out of which other generations will quarry stones for the temple of life. See to it, therefore, that it be granite and not sand.—*A. J. Gordon, D. D.*

IN HOT WEATHER.

How to Take Care of the Chicks That Are Hatched In July and August.

Years ago I decided it did not pay to have chicks hatched in July and August, and I still think it does not, unless you have good shady runs for them. By placing their coops under the wide spreading branches of a large apple tree, and after they are a week old, giving them the run of the orchard as soon as the dew is gone, I find they thrive well. For two weeks I feed them five times a day, giving fresh water each time. After that time they are fed three times and are furnished larger water vessels, care being taken to keep them always in the shade. Shade and fresh water are two things fowls or chicks must have in hot weather if they thrive. I have a fine lot of sturdy fellows now, and thriftier chicks I never saw. We are cultivating part of the orchard, and it makes an ideal place for July chicks.

For early hatches we placed the brooders on a dry, grassy knoll east of the house, where they get the benefit of the first rays of Old Sol, and indeed on to his last. We surrounded each brooder with a low net wire fence and had no trouble with them wandering away from their home. We taught them a call by repeating it every time we fed them, and now since the fence is removed they come from far and from near at the rap, tap, tap, upon the tin vessel I always carry with me.

Even in early spring the sun occasionally shines so hot that the chicks need shade other than provided by the brooders. We made low sheds, and they enjoyed being under them when the sun shone hot and on top when they wanted a sunning.

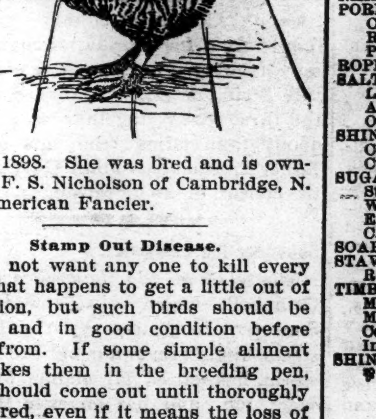
I intend having chicks hatch each month and raising them with the mother hen. Let me remind others who will do the same to select a cool, shady place for biddie to spend her three weeks of exile in. I find nothing better than the A coop in some secluded nook where the sun can never find her, unless she has found such a place for herself, where she has had no help in filling her nest.

If so, I think it better to remove the eggs as laid and keep them in a cool place, turning them over every day until she decides she has labored long enough, when I reward her with a clean fresh nest and 15 of the finest eggs obtainable. I set her in faith and am not disappointed.

Let me again remind you to look well to the comfort of the yarded fowls. See that they have plenty of pure, fresh water in clean vessels. Dig up the soil deep and mellow in the shade, where they can cool their heated bodies by rolling and wallowing. Place nests in out of the way corners, where biddie will imagine she is hidden. If half the yard is in grass, give them the waste from the garden—mustard, lettuce, radishes, onion tops and an occasional basket of weeds—and see how they will enjoy the change.—Mrs. Annie B. Bushong in Reliable Poultry Journal.

A B. P. R. Winner.

This fine Barred Plymouth Rock hen was first at Cambridge and Troy, N.



Y., in 1898. She was bred and is owned by F. S. Nicholson of Cambridge, N. Y.—American Fancier.

Stamp Out Disease.

I do not want any one to kill every bird that happens to get a little out of condition, but such birds should be cured and in good condition before bred from. If some simple ailment overtakes them in the breeding pen, they should come out until thoroughly recovered, even if it means the loss of the bird's services for an entire season. It is the safest way. I do not know of a single person now breeding poultry (myself included) that would not be better off if he used the ax more freely and doctored his birds less. It is natural to wish to save the life of a specimen we set store by, but if the bird is seriously ill it is poor practice. Any constitutional disease is safer when stamped out as fast as it shows itself.

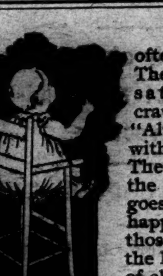
Accidents and injuries not affecting the reproductive organs and from which the bird makes a good recovery need not be feared; broken legs and wings, punctured eyes and torn flesh are, happily, not transmitted by heredity.—Dr. Woods.

It is estimated that it will take six years to complete the New York harbor improvements, although in less than that time the new channel will have reached a depth sufficient to admit the largest steamers.

If a servant in Germany falls sick, her mistress is not allowed to discharge her, but must pay 47 cents a day for her hospital expenses until she is perfectly well. The wages of girls vary from $2.40 to $7.20 a month, with board.

A correspondent of the Baltimore Sun suggests that the fiftieth anniversary of Poe's death, which falls on Oct. 7 of this year, be celebrated in Maryland by a hearty revival of the movement to erect in the city of Baltimore a suitable monument to Poe.

At Birkin, near Ferrybridge, England, the other day a plow came into contact with a stone coffin covered with a stone lid and containing human bones. The coffin is 7 feet 6 inches long, 3 feet wide and the sides 4 inches to 5 inches thick. It weighs nearly two tons.



Childless people often drift apart. The wife seeks to satisfy her heart craving, by society, "Always roaming with a hungry heart." The husband finds the home dull and goes to the club. The happiest homes are those which echo to the love and laughter of childish voices.

The conditions which preclude motherhood are often remediable. They grow out of a diseased or enfeebled condition of the delicate female organs. When these conditions are removed, and vitality and elasticity given to the organs of motherhood, it frequently follows that the home is gladdened by the coming of a healthy, happy infant.

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There is no alcohol, opium or other narcotic in "Favorite Prescription."

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"I had been a sufferer from uterine trouble for about three years, having two miscarriages in that time, and the doctors that I consulted said I would have to go through an operation before I could give birth to living children," writes Mrs. Blanche E. Evans, of Parsons, Luzerne Co., Pa. "When about to give up in despair I saw the advertisement of Dr. Pierce's medicine and thought I would give it a trial as a last resort. I bought a bottle of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, and after taking it felt better than I had for years. After taking four and a half bottles I gave birth to a bright baby girl who is now four months old and has not had a day of sickness. I cannot say too much in praise of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription."

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☞ The following quotations represent Wholesale Prices generally. In making up small orders higher prices have to be charged.

The quotations are always given as accurately as possible, but the STAR will not be responsible for any variations from the actual market price of the articles quoted.

SAGGING—			
2 ℔ Jute	6½	@	6¼
Standard	6¼	@	6¾
Burlaps	5	@	5½
WESTERN SMOKED—			
Hams ⅌ ℔	12	@	12½
Sides ⅌ ℔		@	6¾
Shoulders ⅌ ℔		@	6
DRY SALTED—			
Sides ⅌ ℔	5½	@	5¾
Shoulders ⅌ ℔		@	5¾
BARRELS—Spirits Turpentine—			
Second-hand, each	1 25	@	1 35
New New York, each		@	1 40
New City, each		@	1 40
BEESWAX ⅌ ℔		@	23
BRICKS—			
Wilmington ⅌ M	5 00	@	7 00
Northern	9 00	@	14 00
BUTTER—			
North Carolina ⅌ ℔	20	@	22
Northern	25	@	30
CORN MEAL—			
Per bushel, in sacks		@	47½
Virginia Meal		@	47½
COTTON TIES—⅌ bundle		@	1 15
CANDLES—⅌ ℔—			
Sperm	18	@	25
Adamantine	8	@	11
CHEESE—⅌ ℔—			
Northern Factory	15	@	16
Dairy Cream		@	16
State	18	@	14
COFFEE—⅌ ℔—			
Laguyra	12½	@	15
Rio	7	@	9
DOMESTICS—			
Sheeting, 4-4, ⅌ yard		@	5½
Yarns, ⅌ bunch of 5 ℔s		@	70
EGGS—⅌ dozen	12½	@	15
FISH—			
Mackerel, No. 1, ⅌ barrel	22 00	@	30 00
Mackerel, No. 1, ⅌ half-bbl.	11 00	@	15 00
Mackerel, No. 2, ⅌ barrel	16 00	@	18 00
Mackerel, No. 2 ⅌ half-bbl.	8 00	@	9 00
Mackerel, No. 3, ⅌ barrel	13 00	@	14 00
Mullets, ⅌ barrel	4 00	@	4 50
Mullets, ⅌ pork barrel		@	3 50
N. C. Roe Herring, ⅌ keg	3 00	@	3 25
Dry Cod, ⅌ ℔	5	@	10
" Extra	4 35	@	4 50
FLOUR—⅌ ℔—			
Low grade		@	3 00
Choice		@	3 50
Straight	3 90	@	4 00
First Patent	4 25	@	4 50
GLUE—⅌ ℔	12½	@	15
GRAIN—⅌ bushel—			
Corn, from store, bgs—White	52	@	52½
Car-load, in bgs—White		@	50
Oats, from store	38	@	40
Oats, Rust Proof		@	45
Cow Peas	55	@	60
HIDES—⅌ ℔—			
Green salted		@	6½
Dry flint	10	@	12½
Dry salt		@	9
HAY ⅌ 100 ℔s			
Clover Hay	85	@	90
Rice Straw	40	@	50
Eastern	80	@	85
Western	80	@	85
North River	80	@	85
HOOP IRON, ⅌ ℔	3½	@	4
ILLUMINAING OILS—			
Diamond White, bbls ⅌ gal		@	11½
Aladdin Security "		@	12½
Pratt's Astral "		@	13½
Carandine "		@	13
LARD, ⅌ ℔—			
Northern	7	@	8
North Carolina	8	@	10
LIME, ⅌ barrel	1 15	@	1 25
LUMBER (city sawed) ⅌ M ft—			
Ship Stuff, resawed	18 00	@	20 00
Rough edge Plank	15 00	@	16 00
West India cargoes, according to quality	13 00	@	18 00
Dressed Flooring, seasoned	18 00	@	22 00
Scantling and Board, com'n	14 00	@	15 00
Common mill	5 00	@	6 50
Fair mill	6 50	@	8 00
Prime mill	8 50	@	10 00
Extra mill	10 00	@	10 50
MOLASSES ⅌ gallon—			
Barbadoes, in hogshead		@	25
Barbadoes, in barrels		@	28
Porto Rico, in hogsheads	28	@	30
Porto Rico, in barrels	25	@	30
Sugar House, in hogsheads	12	@	14
Sugar House, in barrels	14	@	15
Syrup, in barrels	15	@	25
NAILS, ⅌ keg, Cut, 60d basis	2 50	@	3 00
PORK, ⅌ barrel—			
City Mess	10 00	@	10 50
Rump		@	9 50
Prime		@	9 00
ROPE, ⅌ ℔	10	@	22
SALT, ⅌ sack, Alum		@	1 10
Liverpool	75	@	80
American	70	@	75
On 125 ⅌ Sacks		@	47½
SHINGLES, 7-inch, per M	5 00	@	6 50
Common	1 60	@	2 25
Cypress Saps	2 50	@	2 75
SUGAR, ⅌ ℔—Standard Gran'd	5½	@	5¾
Standard A	4¾	@	5[illegible]
White Extra C		@	4⅝
Extra C, Golden		@	4½
C, Yellow		@	4⅛
SOAP, ⅌ ℔—Northern	3¼	@	4
STAVES, ⅌ M—W. O. barrel	6 00	@	14 00
R. O. Hogshead		@	10 00
TIMBER, ⅌ M feet—Shipping	9 00	@	10 00
Mill, Prime	7 50	@	8 75
Mill, Fair	6 50	@	7 00
Common Mill	5 00	@	6 00
Inferior to ordinary	3 50	@	5 00
SHINGLES, N.C. Cypress sawed			
⅌ M 6x24 heart	7 50	@	8 50
" Sap	5 00	@	6 00
5x20 Heart	3 00	@	3 50
" Sap	2 00	@	2 50
6x24 Heart	6 00	@	6 50
" Sap	5 00	@	5 50
TALLOW, ⅌ ℔		@	6
WHISKEY, ⅌ gallon, Northern	1 00	@	2 00
North Carolina	1 00	@	00
WOOL per ℔—Unwashed	15	@	17

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 12, 1899.

STEAMSHIPS.

Moonstone (Br), 1,363 tons, Foster, St Michaels, Heide & Co.

Wraggoe (Br), 1,838 tons, Rome, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Wandby (Br), 2,580 tons, Pearson, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

SCHOONERS.

Brothers (Br), 125 tons, Kelly, Nassau, Geo Harriss, Son & Co.

B I Hazard, 323 tons, Blatchford, Geo Harriss, Son & Co.

BARQUES.

Johannee (Nor), 473 tons, Thorsen, H K Nash, for Paterson, Downing & Co.

BARGES.

Carrie L Tyler, 538 tons, Jones, Navassa Guano Co.

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

STAR OFFICE, Nov. 11.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market steady at 49 cents per gallon for machine made casks and 48 cents per gallon for country casks.

ROSIN—Market firm at 95 cents per bbl for strained and $1.00 for good strained.

TAR—Market steady at $1.30 per bbl of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market quiet at $1.50 per barrel for hard, $2.80 for dip and —— for virgin.

Quotations same day last year.—Spirits turpentine steady at 33¼@33¾c; rosin nothing doing; tar firm at $1.15; crude turpentine steady at $1.25, $1.90, $1.90.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	92
Rosin	271
Tar	146
Crude Turpentine	56

Receipts same day last year.—105 casks spirits turpentine, 372 bbls rosin, 207 bbls tar, 24 bbls crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market quiet on a basis of 7¼c per pound for middling. Quotations:

Ordinary	5 1-16	cts. ⅌ ℔
Good Ordinary	6 7-16	" "
Low Middling	7 1 16	" "
Middling	7¼	" "
Good Middling	7⅞	" "

Same day last year nothing doing.

Receipts—2,221 bales; same day last year, 1,504.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS — North Carolina — Prime, 85c; extra prime, 90c per bushel of 28 pounds; fancy, $1.05. Virginia—Prime, 55c; extra prime, 60c; fancy, 65c.

CORN—Firm; 52 to 52½ cents per bushel.

ROUGH RICE—Lowland (tidewater) 90c@$1.10; upland 65@80c. Quotations on a basis of 45 pounds to the bushel.

N. C. BACON—steady; hams 10 to 11c per pound; shoulders, 6 to 7c; sides, 7 to 8c.

SHINGLES—Per thousand, five inch, hearts and saps, $2.25 to $3.25; six inch, $4.00 to 5.00; seven inch, $5.50 to 6.50.

TIMBER—Market steady at $3.50 to $9.00 per M.

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, November 11.—Money easy at 3@6 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5@5¼ per cent. Sterling exchange irregular; actual business in bankers' bills 485¾@486 for demand and 481½@481¾ for sixty days Posted rates were 482@483 and 486½@487. Commercial bills 481. Silver certificates 59½@60½. Bar silver 59¼. Mexican dollars 47½. Government bonds irregular. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds irregular. U. S. 2's, reg'd, 100¾; U. S. 3's, reg'd, 108⅜; do. coupon, 108⅜; U.S. new 4's, reg'd, 129¾; do. coupon, 129¾; U.S. old 4's, reg'd, 112¾; do. coupon, 112¾; U. S. 5's, registered, 110⅞; do. coupon, 110⅞; N. C. 6's 127; do. 4's, 104; Southern Railway 5's 108. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 50¼; Chesapeake & Ohio 27; Manhattan L 102; N. Y. Central 135¼; Reading 20; do. 1st preferred 57; St. Paul 123⅝; do. preferred 170⅝; Southern Railway 12⅞; do. preferred 55⅝; American Tobacco, 118½; do. preferred 143; People's Gas 110¼; Sugar 150¾; do. preferred 117¾; T. C. & Iron 113¼; U. S. Leather 25⅝; do. preferred 77¾; Western Union 88¼.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, November 11.—Rosin steady; strained common to good $1 22½@1 25. Spirits turpentine quiet at 51@51½.

CHARLESTON, November 11.—Spirits turpentine firm at 48c; sales 25 casks; no receipts. Rosin firm; no sales; quotations unchanged.

SAVANNAH, November 11.—Spirits turpentine firm at 49c; sales 479 casks; receipts 1,064 casks; exports 239 casks. Rosin firm; sales 1,497 barrels; receipts 2,647 barrels; exports 7,793 barrels: A, B, C, D, $1 00; E, $1 05; F, $1 10@1 15; G, $1 20; H, $1 25; I, $1 25; K, $1 30; M, $1 65; N, $2.20; W G, $2 75; W W, $3 60.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—The cotton market opened easy with prices four to six points lower and continued to sag after the call under heavy general selling, prompted by weak cables from Liverpool, predictions for an increased movement and reports of lower prices in Southern spot markets. Europe seconded the efforts of the bear crowd to stampede outside holders by sending large selling orders. Timid investors liberated the bulk of their cotton around the opening under the fear that further sensational declines might occur in the English market before our opening next Monday. There was no change in the tenor of crop news; all signs pointed to a light yield and a curtailed movement following the rush scheduled for the next week or ten days of exporters and American spinner's purchases to the ports. Believing the decline of the past two days has been grounded on sentiment rather than legitimate facts, staunch bull houses absorbed extensive lines of the late Winter and Spring months. This demand, however, was not sufficient to arrest the downward course of prices to any considerable degree. The market for futures closed steady with prices net one to nine points higher.

NEW YORK, November 11.—Cotton quiet; middling uplands 7⅝c.

Cotton futures closed steady: November 7.29, December 7.29, January 7.33, February 7.35, March 7.39, April 7.41, May 7.43, June 7.44, July 7.46, August 7.43, September 7.43, October 6.93.

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 7⅝c; middling gulf 7⅞c; sales 802 bales.

Net receipts 173 bales; gross receipts 223 bales; exports to the Continent 150 bales; stock 105,872 bales.

Total to-day—Net receipts 36,980; exports to Great Britain 3,730 bales; exports to the Continent 1,300 bales; stock 895,222 bales.

Consolidated—Net receipts 36,920 bales; exports to Great Britain 3,730; exports to the Continent 1,300 bales.

Total since September 1st.—Net receipts 2,296,765 bales; exports to Great Britain 639,240 bales; exports to France 242.733 bales; exports to the Continent 634,346 bales.

October 11.—Galveston, quiet at 7⅜, net receipts 13,447 bales; Norfolk, steady at 7¼c, net receipts 4,731 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 7¼c, net receipts — bales; Boston, quiet at 7⅝c, net receipts 153 bales; Wilmington, quiet at 7¼c, net receipts 2,221 bales; Philadelphia, firm at 7⅞c, net receipts 58 bales; Savannah, quiet and easy at 7 1 16, net receipts 5,702 bales; New Orleans, quiet, steady at 7¼, net receipts 7,354 bales; Mobile, nominal at 7½c, net receipts 730 bales; Memphis, steady at 7 5 16c, net receipts 7,940 bales; Augusta, quiet at 7 5 16c, net receipts 1,775 bales; Charleston, nominal at 7¼, net receipts 967 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, November 11.—Flour dull and easy; Minnesota patents $3 75 @3 95. Wheat—Spot weak; No. 2 red 73⅝c; options opened easy at a decline of ⅛c and sold off. The trade was depressed by liberal Northwest receipts, clear and seasonable weather West, prospects of bearish statistics on Monday and a little foreign selling. The market was finally weak, closing ⅛@⅜c net lower; No. 2 red March closed 75⅝c; May closed 75⅝c; December closed 71⅜c. Corn—Spot easy; No. 2 40½c; options opened steady and unchanged. The controlling influences were light Chicago receipts, higher cables, a little covering and unfavorable Argentine news. Later, prices eased off with wheat and closed easy at ⅛@¼c net decline; May closed 38⅛c; December closed 39⅛c. Oats—Spot dull; No. 2 29c; options inactive and disposed to follow corn. Lard steady; Western steam closed $5 45 Pork dull; old mess $9 50; new mess $9 50@9 75; short clear sides $10 50@12 30; family $11 75@12 00. Butter—Market was strong; Western creamery 18@25c; State dairy 17@24c. Cheese steady; small September fancy 12½@12¾c. Potatoes steady; Jersey $1 00@1 37½; New York $1 00@1 50; Long Island $1 12½@1 27½; Southern sweets $1 25 @1 50; Jersey sweets $1 25@2 25 Cotton seed oil—Prime crude tanks 21 @22c and butter grades 29c Cabbage quiet; Long Island $2 00@4 00 per 100. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton by steam 26¼d Coffee—Spot Rio steady but quiet; No. 7 invoice 6¾; No 7 jobbing 6⅞c; mild steady; Cordova 6¾@11¼c. Sugar—Raw irregular; fair refining 3¾c; centrifugal 96 test 4¼c; molasses sugar 3 9-16c; mould A 5 7 16c; granulated 5 3 16c.

CHICAGO, November 11.—Wheat today went even lower than yesterday's bottom prices, closing ⅛@⅜c lower on bearish statistics and lack of cash demand. Corn closed unchanged to ⅛c down, and oats a shade lower. Provisions closed lower, January pork 7½c.

CHICAGO, Nov. 11.—Cash quotations: Flour—Market steady; winter patents $3 50@3 60; straights $3 10@3 30; winter clears $3 00@3 60; spring patents $2 90 3 60; straights $2 80@3 10; bakers' $3 00@2 55. Wheat—No. 2 spring —c; No. 3 spring 62½@64c; No 2 red 67½ @68½c Corn—No. 2 32c. Oats—No. 2 23@23¼c; No. 2 white 26c; No. 3 white 24⅝@25½c. Pork per bbl $7 85@8 25. Lard, per 100 lbs $4 95 @5 15. Short rib sides, loose, $4 85@ 5 25. Dry salted shoulders, $5 37½ @5 50. Short clear sides, boxed, $5 20 @5 30. Whiskey—Distillers' finished goods, per gallon, $1 23½.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 November 66½, 66 66⅜, 66⅜c; December 67½, 67⅝, 67½, 67¼c; May 71¼, 71⅜, 71, 71⅛c. Corn—No. 2 December 31¼, 31⅜, 31⅛, 31¼c; January 30⅝, 30⅜, 30¾, 30¾c; May 32⅛, 32⅛, 32⅜, 32⅜. Oats—December 22⅜, 22⅜, 22¼, 22⅛; May 23⅞, 23⅞ 23⅞, 23¾c. Pork, per bbl—December $8 25, 8 25, 8 20, 8 20; January $9 65, 9 65, 9 60, 9 60; May $9 67½, 9 67½, 9 67½, 9 67½. Lard, per 100 lbs—December $5 02½, 5 02½, 5 02½, 5 02½; January $5 22½, 5 22½, 5 22½, 5 22½; May $5 37½, 5 37½, 5 37½, 5 37½ Short ribs, per 100 lbs —December $4 87½, 4 87½, 4 85, 4 85; January $4 97½, 4 97½, 4 95, 4 95.

BALTIMORE, November 11.—Flour dull and unchanged. Wheat steady at the decline—spot and month 67¾@ 67⅞c; December 69⅛@69¼c; Southern wheat by sample 60@69c. Corn dull and easy—mixed spot and month 37¾@37⅞c; November and December, new or old, 36½@36¾c; January and February 36¼@36½c; Southern white, new corn, 35@38c. Oats firm—No. 2 white 30½@31c.

FOREIGN MARKET

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, November 11, 1 P. M.—Cotton—Spot moderate business; prices ⅛c lower; American middling, fair 4 7-16d; good middling 4 7-32d; middling 4 1 16d; low middling 3⅞d; good ordinary 3 11 16d; ordinary 3½d. The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export, and included 6,700 American. Receipts 27,200 bales; all American.

Futures opened easy and closed quiet but steady at the decline; American middling (l. m. c.)—November 3 61 64@3 62 64d seller; November and December 3 60 64@3 61 64d value; December and January 3 59 64@3 60 64d seller; January and February 3 58 64@3 59 64d seller; February and March 3 58 64d seller; March and April 3 58 64d seller; April and May 3 57 64@3 58 64d buyer; May and June 3 57-64@3 58 64d seller; June and July 3 57 64d buyer; July and August 3 57 64d seller; August and September 3 55 64d buyer.

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A Farm of 250 acres four miles from Greenville, one mile from House station on the Atlantic Coast Line. One hundred and eighty-five acres cleared and in fine state of cultivation. One nice two-story dwelling with six rooms. One cook room and kitchen. One office. One set two-story stables with eight stalls. Two barns. Two tobacco barns. One 16-horse power engine at house gin, press, etc. All necessary machinery attached. All kinds of farming implements, including wagons, carts, tools, etc. Also, four mules and one horse. Will sell all together or the land separate.

Farm of 143 Acres

In Long Creek village Pender county. 25 acres cleared, balance well timbered. Four acres in strawberries, 2 acres in apple trees. Fine grape vine. Large two-story house. One good New Store House. All necessary out houses. Two tenant houses. Two miles from Montague a station on Atlantic and Yadkin Railroad; sixteen miles from Wilmington. Fertile land in a high state of cultivation. A bargain for somebody.

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In New Hanover county on navigable stream; borders tide water. Three clearings on place—one of 25 acres with house and out buildings on same; two of 20 acres each; balance well timbered. Twelve miles from Wilmington. Four miles from Castle Hayne, a station on the W. & W. R. R. The nearest point of the land to the Newbern railroad is two miles.

House in Kenansville.

One valuable six room house in Kenansville, Duplin county, N. C., just completed. Known as "Birchwood Cottage," with nice office on lot; also garden and outbuildings. Located in a desirable part of the town. Kenansville is a pleasant town to live in—famed for its pure spring water and healthy locality. James Sprunt Institute, one of the best schools in the State, is located there.

Fifty Acres of Land

One-half mile from South Washington, on the W. & W. R. R., in Pender county. Borders on county roads. Very valuable for trucking.

Property in Burgaw.

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One neat three-room House in town of Burgaw, on lot consisting of one and one-half acres. All set out in strawberries except garden and yard.

A desirable building lot in the town of Burgaw, consisting of one-fourth of an acre, front ing railroad, and it is a corner lot.

Farm at Burgaw.

A desirable farm at Burgaw. The residence and about one-third of the farm within the corporate limits of the town. About twenty acres cleared; six acres in strawberries; one acre in fruit trees and grape vines. All necessary outbuildings. A nice desirable six-room residence. Farm contains 100 acres.

Tobacco and Truck Farm

Containing 265 acres, four miles from Magnolia, N. C., in the great truck belt. About seventy acres cleared; thirty acres of black branch land well timbered with curly yellow pine. Fine meadow land and best range for hogs, sheep and cattle. Five-room dwelling, with barn, stables and other out-houses. Nearly a half-acre in prolific grape vines. Lot of apple and plum trees. Beautiful oak and hickory grove surrounds dwelling. Good water. Admirably adapted to tobacco culture, and now has eight acres in cultivation. Also, two tobacco barns. Fences and ditches in good condition.

A Nice Farm.

A desirable farm of one hundred and fifty acres. Fifty acres is within the corporate limits of the town of Burgaw, N. C. Twenty two acres cleared. There is one nice, new three-room cottage, painted and plastered. Large stables and barns. A tenant's house, and strawberry packing house. A well of very fine drinking water. A nice orchard of 500 young fruit trees, consisting of Japan plums, peaches, pears, apples and figs.

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A desirable farm of 272 acres, three miles east of Rose Hill. Fifty acres cleared and in good state of cultivation, balance well timbered. Four-room house on premises. In good neighborhood. Will exchange for desirable house and lot in Wilmington.

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Hot Weather Troubles.

Neglect is always costly in the poultry yard and especially so in hot weather. When a fowl or chick appears ailing in August, rest assured the trouble is either indigestion or vermin, says the Baltimore Sun. If it is the first named, it is generally determined by the condition of the bowels. Less food or a radical change in diet and giving a teaspoonful of soda water (bicarbonate) will generally restore the ailing specimen. If vermin is the cause, use the well known methods for eradication. Avoid overcrowding at night of young chicks which have recently been transferred from the coops to the poultry house. They are apt to huddle, and unless moved apart will become overheated during the night. Go to the poultry house before retiring and see that the chicks are comfortable. A visit of inspection with the lantern will often save loss and trouble.

A broken wooden headboard and a neglected mound of earth in the Fort Yates (N. D.) military cemetery marks the resting place of Sitting Bull, the great Sioux medicine man, whose wily brain planned the death trap at Little Big Horn into which General Custer's command fell. On the broken headboard is written, "No. 54, Sitting Bull, Indian." Relic hunters have cut most of the headboard away.

MENU FOR WEDNESDAY.

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BREAKFAST.
Melons. Rice.
Broiled Honeycomb Tripe.
Baked Potatoes. Corn Muffins.
Coffee. Water Cress.

LUNCHEON.
Cold Tongue. Pickles.
Lettuce Salad.
Fruit. Cookies.

DINNER.
Tomato Soup.
Lobster Scallop. Mashed Potatoes.
String Beans. Tomato Salad.
Currant Pie.

LOBSTER SCALLOP.—Rub one tablespoonful of butter and one level tablespoonful of flour to a cream and stir in one cup of boiling milk until perfectly smooth. Take from the stove and add a quarter cup of bread crumbs, one tablespoonful of chopped parsley, three hard boiled eggs chopped fine and two cupfuls of minced boiled lobster. Mix well together, place in shells and brush over the tops with well beaten egg. Then sprinkle over with bread crumbs and bake until brown.

MENU FOR THURSDAY.

There are more ways than one of being thoughtful.

BREAKFAST.
Pineapple, Iced.
Broiled Calf's Liver. Toast.
Water Cress. Coffee.

LUNCHEON.
Beef Loaf, Onion Sauce.
Bean Salad.
Soft Gingerbread.

DINNER.
Clam Broth.
Roast of Lamb, Mint Sauce.
Lima Beans. Green Corn.
Lettuce Salad. Cheese. Olives.
Peach Cobbler.

BANANA SHORTCAKE.—Sift three cups of flour, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, a pinch of salt and one tablespoonful of sugar together four times. Then rub into it the mixture and one-half cup of butter and add one-half cup of sweet milk, mixing as quickly and lightly as possible with a spoon. Bake in a quick oven. When done, butter each layer and spread with sliced bananas.

CREAM SAUCE FOR SWEETBREADS.—Put into a saucepan two tablespoonfuls of butter and two of flour. Stir over the fire until bubbly, being careful not to brown it; then pour into the saucepan, little by little, as you stir, a pint of warm milk, or half milk and half white stock, and allow it to come to a boil, stirring as it thickens. When perfectly smooth, add a half teaspoonful of salt and a quarter of a spoonful of pepper. Cut the sweetbreads in small pieces and serve in the white sauce on toast.

MENU FOR FRIDAY.

There are different ways of being young.—Anon.

BREAKFAST.
Porridge.
Codfish Balls. Bacon.
Melons. Toast. Coffee.

LUNCHEON.
Deviled Eggs.
Lettuce Sandwiches.
Tea. Cream Cheese.

DINNER.
Lettuce Soup.
Cold Roast Lamb, Mint Sauce.
Mashed Potatoes. Young Beets.
Tomato Salad.
Cherry Tapioca. Coffee.

SAVORY LETTUCE.—Cook the outer leaves of three large heads of lettuce in salted boiling water until they can be easily pierced. Reserve the inner leaves for salad. Make a sauce by rubbing a tablespoonful of flour and a tablespoonful of butter together until smooth and adding a cupful of stock, preferably from chicken or veal, or a cupful of left over gravy may used, thinning it with water to the right consistency. Drain the lettuce, put in the sauce and simmer 20 minutes. Add a saltspoon of salt, half a saltspoon of white pepper and serve.

MENU FOR SATURDAY.

The will, drawn hither and thither, trembles till it finds its center and is still.—Anon.

BREAKFAST.
Cracked Wheat.
Broiled Oysters, Lemon.
Creamed Potatoes.
Melons. Water Cress. Coffee.

LUNCHEON.
Sardine Salad. Tomato Salad.
Parker House Rolls.

DINNER.
Cold Consomme Soup.
Beefsteak, Onions.
Spinach. Creamed Turnips.
Pickles. Lettuce Salad. Cheese.
Raspberries, Whipped Cream.

CARE OF FOOD.—A great saving is made by the proper care and use of cooked and uncooked food. The great consideration is cleanliness. The ice chest and cellar should be cleaned thoroughly once a week. Jars in which bread is kept must be scalded, washed and dried thoroughly at least twice a week. Cooked food that is placed in ice chest or cellar should be kept perfectly cool; if not, it absorbs an unpleasant flavor from the close atmosphere. Meat should not be placed directly on the ice, as the water draws out the juices. In the winter it is best to hang the meat in a cold room. It is a very bad habit to allow meat to remain in the brown paper wrapping and putting it on the ice. When purchasing meat, always send the trimmings and cut off bits home for helping out the soups and sauces. Every scrap of meat and bone left from roasts and broils should be saved for the soup pot. Trimmings from ham, tongue and corned beef should all be saved for the relishes they will make. Cold fish can be used for salads and be warmed up in many palatable ways. In fact, nothing that comes on the table is more enjoyed than the little dishes which an artistic cook can make from the odds and ends left from a former meal. By an artistic cook is not meant a professional, but a woman who believes in cleanliness and hot dishes and their appearance as well as the mere taste of food.

MENU FOR SUNDAY.

Few friends know how to be interested without inquisitiveness.

BREAKFAST.
Melons.
Codfish Balls.
Bacon, Cress. Rice Cakes.

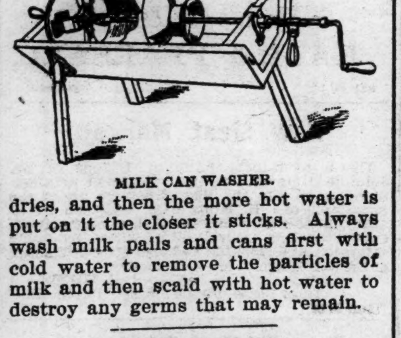
DINNER.
Cream of Lima Beans.
Roast of Beef, Browned Potatoes.
Young Beets. Lettuce Salad.
Cherry Mousse. Coffee.

JUGGED BEEFSTEAK (to resemble hare).—Take 1½ pounds of beefsteak, cut it into good sized pieces and fry a nice brown. As soon as the meat is fried put in an earthenware jar and salt and pepper, with a pinch of mace and enough water to cover. Stick an onion with cloves and place it with the meat. Tie the jar over securely when the cover is on and cook in a slow oven two or three hours. Strain and thicken gravy before serving. Try seasoning balls, brown and add while serving. Serve with red currant jelly.

GRAHAM GEMS.—Cream together 1½ tablespoonfuls of unmelted butter and two heaping tablespoonfuls of light brown sugar. Add one well beaten egg and one cup of milk. Sift together one saltspoonful of salt, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one cup of white flour and three-quarters cup of graham flour. Bake in gem pans in a quick oven.

Cleanliness In Dairying.

It is always important to wash milk utensils as soon as possible after their contents are emptied. If left to stand two or three hours, some of the milk



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dries, and then the more hot water is put on it the closer it sticks. Always wash milk pails and cans first with cold water to remove the particles of milk and then scald with hot water to destroy any germs that may remain.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover county, made in the case of Mary E Millis, executrix of the estate of J. W. Millis, deceased, vs. M. E. Millis et al., I will expose for sale to the highest bidder for cash, on the 14th day of November, 1899, at 12 o'clock M., in front of the Court House of New Hanover county, in Wilmington, N. C., the following real estate in said city, to-wit:

1st. A tract beginning at the intersection of Ninth and Wooster streets, and running northwardly along 9th street 66 feet to Northrop and Cumming's line, thence westwardly parallel with Wooster street 50 feet, thence southwardly parallel with 9th street 66 feet to Wooster street, thence eastwardly along Wooster street to the beginning, being part of Lot No. 6, Block 66.

2d. A tract of land commencing 50 feet from the intersection of 9th and Wooster and running northwardly parallel with 9th street 66 feet to Northrop and Cumming's line, thence westwardly parallel with Wooster street 50 feet, thence southwardly parallel with 9th street 66 feet to Wooster street, thence eastwardly along with Wooster street 50 feet to the beginning, same being a part of Lot 6, Block 6.

3rd. A tract of land commencing 100 feet from the intersection of 9th and Wooster and running northwardly parallel with 9th street 66 feet to Northrop and Cumming's line, thence westwardly parallel with Wooster street 82 feet, thence southwardly parallel with 9th street 66 feet to Wooster street, thence eastwardly along with Wooster street 82 feet to the beginning, same being a part of Lot 6, Block 66.

4th. A tract beginning at a point in the northern line of Wooster street 182 feet west of the western line of 9th street, running thence west with said line of Wooster street 65 feet, thence northwardly parallel with 8th street 66 feet, thence eastwardly parallel with Wooster street 65 feet, thence southwardly parallel with 8th street 66 feet to the beginning, being part of Lot 6, Block 660.

5th. A tract beginning in the northern line of Wooster street at a point 135 feet west of the western line of 11th street 66 feet, thence westwardly parallel with Wooster street 65 feet, thence southwardly parallel with 10th street 66 feet, thence eastwardly with the northern line of Wooster street 65 feet to the beginning, being part of Lot 6, Block 68.

6th. A lot beginning at a point in Lot 3, Block 38 84 feet from the western line of 9th street, running thence northwardly parallel with 9th street 88 feet, thence westwardly parallel with Dawson street 32 feet, thence southwardly parallel with 9th street 88 feet, thence eastwardly parallel with Dawson street 32 feet to the beginning, being part of Lots 2 and 3, Block 38.

7th. A tract beginning at the northwestern intersection of Mulberry and 14th streets and running north with the western line of 14th street 101 feet, thence west parallel with Mulberry street about 80 feet to a drain or small branch, thence southeast and with the run of said drain or branch to the northern line of Mulberry street, thence with the northern line of Mulberry street east to the beginning, the same being less by 10 feet on 14th street than the whole Lot, and being the eastern end of Lot 5 and 6 in Block 470.

WILLIAM J. BELLAMY,
Commissioner.

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Train 41—Leaves Portsmouth 9:20 A. M., arrives Weldon 11:43 A. M., Raleigh 3:36 P. M., Sanford 5:05 P. M., Hamlet 6:55 P. M., Wadesboro 8:10 P. M., Monroe 9:12 P. M., Charlotte 10:25 P. M., and Atlanta 5:20 A. M.

Train 38—Leaves Atlanta 9:50 P. M. Leaves Charlotte 6:00 A. M. Arrives Monroe 5:45 A. M., Wadesboro 6:51 A. M., Hamlet 7:43 A. M., Sanford 9:52 A. M., Raleigh 11:13 A. M., Weldon 2:50 P. M., Portsmouth 5:20 P. M.

Train 38—Leaves Hamlet 8:20 A. M. Arrives Laurinburg 8:46 A. M., Maxton 9.05 A. M., Pembroke 9:31 A. M., Lumberton 9:53 A. M., Wilmington 12.05 noon.

Train 403—Leaves Washington 5:00 P. M., Richmond 9:00 P. M., Portsmouth 8:45 P. M., Weldon 11:10 P. M. Arrives Raleigh 2:14 A. M., Sanford 3:33 A. M., Hamlet 5:07 A. M., Wadesboro 6:01 A. M., Monroe 6:53 A. M., Charlotte 8:00 A. M., Atlanta 3:50 P. M.

Train 403—Leaves Charlotte 8:10 A. M. Arrives Lincolnton 9:22 A. M., Shelby 10:10 A. M., Rutherfordton 11:25 A. M.

Train 402—Leaves Rutherfordton 4:40 P. M. Arrives Shelby 5:53 P. M. Lincolnton 6:56 P. M., Charlotte 8:20 P. M., Monroe 9:10 P. M.

Train 402—Leaves Atlanta 12:00 noon. Arrives Monroe 9:30 P. M., Wadesboro 10:30 P. M., Hamlet 11:10 P. M., Sanford 12:55 P. M., Raleigh 2:00 A. M., Weldon 4:55 A. M., Portsmouth 7:25 A. M., Richmond 8:15 A. M., Washington 12:41 noon.

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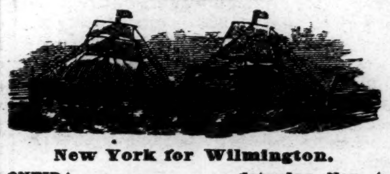
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South Bound Daily No. 52	MAIN LINE.	North Bound Daily No. 53.
6 50 p m	Ar......Wilmington.....Lv	9 00 a m
8 50 p m	Lv......Fayetteville.....Ar	12 10 a m
3 45 p m	Ar......Fayetteville.....Lv	12 28 p m
2 30 p m	Lv......Sanford.....Lv	1 43 p m
12 42 p m	Lv......Climax.....Lv	3 44 p m
12 13 p m	Lv......Greensboro.....Ar	4 15 p m
11 55 a m	Ar......Greensboro.....Lv	4 25 p m
11 07 a m	Lv......Stokesdale.....Lv	5 12 p m
10 36 a m	Lv......Walnut Cove.....Lv	5 44 p m
10 09 a m	Lv......Rural Hall.....Lv	6 13 p m
8 45 a m	Lv......Mt. Airy.....Ar	7 35 p m
South Bound Daily No. 64.	**BENNETTSVILLE.**	**North Bound Daily No. 65.**
8 00 a m	Lv......Bennettsville.....Ar	7 15 p m
9 07 a m	Lv......Maxton.....Lv	6 15 p m
9 35 a m	Lv......Red Springs.....Lv	5 35 p m
10 20 a m	Lv......Hope Mills.....Lv	4 52 p m
10 40 a m	Ar......Fayetteville.....Lv	4 33 p m
No. 46		No. 47.
South Bound Mixed Daily ex. Sunday.	**MADISON BRANCH.**	**North Bound Mixed Daily ex Sunday.**
5 30 p m	Ar......Ramseur.....Lv	6 40 a m
3 50 p m	Lv......Climax.....Ar	8 25 a m
2 40 p m	Lv......Greensboro.....Ar	9 17 a m
2 30 p m	Ar......Greensboro.....Lv	9 35 a m
1 15 p m	Lv......Stokesdale.....Lv	11 07 a m
12 30 p m	Lv......Madison.....Ar	11 55 a m

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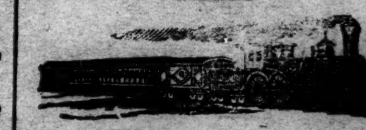
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DEPARTURE FROM WILMINGTON—NORTH BOUND

DAILY 9.45 A. M. No. 48—Passenger—Due Magnolia 11.19 A. M., Warsaw 11.33 A. M., Goldsboro 12.26 P. M., Wilson 1.16 P. M., Rocky Mount 1.53 P. M., Tarboro 2.31 P. M., Weldon 4.32 P. M., Petersburg 6.21 P. M., Richmond 7.20 P. M., Norfolk 5.55 P. M., Washington 11.30 P. M., Baltimore 1.00 A. M., Philadelphia 3.50 A. M., New York 6.53 A. M., †Boston 3.00 P. M.

DAILY 7.00 P. M. No. 40—Passenger—Due Magnolia 8.34 P. M., Warsaw 8.48 P. M., Goldsboro 9.45 P. M., Wilson 10.38 P. M., †Tarboro 7.04 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.38 P. M., Weldon 1.00 A. M., †Norfolk 10.25 A. M., Petersburg 2.35 A. M., Richmond 3.23 A. M., Washington 7.01 A. M., Baltimore 8.23 A. M., Philadelphia 10.35 A. M., New York 1.03 P. M., Boston 9.00 P. M.

DAILY except Sunday 2.25 P. M. No. 50—Passenger—Due Jacksonvill 4.13 P. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M.

SOUTH BOUND.

DAILY 3.45 P. M. No. 55—Passenger—Due Lake Waccamaw 4.56 P. M., Chadbourn 5.28 P. M., Marion 6.34 P. M., Florence 7.15 P. M., Sumter 8.57 P. M., Columbia 10.20 P. M., Denmark 6.12 A. M., Augusta 7.55 A. M., Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.35 P. M., Charleston 10.50 P. M., Savannah 1.50 A. M., Jacksonville 7.30 A. M., St. Augustine 10.30 A. M., Tampa 6.05 P. M.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY 5.40 P. M. No. 49—Passenger—Leave Boston †1.03 P. M., New York *9.00 P. M., Philadelphia 12.05 A. M., Baltimore 2.50 A. M., Washington 4.30 A. M., Richmond 9.05 A. M., Petersburg 10.00 A. M., Norfolk 9.00 A. M., Weldon 11.50 A. M., Tarboro 12.21 P. M., Rocky Mount 12.52 P. M., Wilson 2.40 P. M., Goldsboro 3.21 P. M., Warsaw 4.12 P. M., Magnolia 4.25 P. M.

DAILY 9.40 A. M. No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 12 night, New York 9.30 A. M., Philadelphia 12 09 P. M., Baltimore 2.25 P. M., Washington 3.46 P. M., Richmond 7.30 P. M., Petersburg 8.12 P. M., †Norfolk 2.20 P. M., Weldon 9.43 P. M., †Tarboro 6.00 P. M., Rocky Mount 5.40 A. M. Leave Wilson 6.20 A. M., Goldsboro 7.01 A. M., Warsaw 7.56 A. M., Magnolia 8.09 A. M.

DAILY except Sunday 12.15 P. M. No. 51—Passenger—Leave Newbern 9.00 A. M., Jacksonville 10.26 A. M.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY 1.15 P. M. N. 54—Passenger—Leave Tampa 8.10 A. M., Sanford 3.07 P. M., Jacksonville 8.00 P. M., Savannah 1.45 A. M., Charleston 6.33 A. M., Atlanta 7.50 A. M., Macon 9.00 A. M., Augusta 2.30 P. M., Denmark 4.17 P. M., Columbia 6.40 A. M., Sumter 8.10 P. M., Florence 9.50 A. M., Marion 10.30 A. M., Chadbourn 11.34 A. M., Lake Waccamaw 12.03 A. M.

†Daily except Sunday.

Wilmington and Weldon Railroad, Yadkin Division Main Line—Train leaves Wilmington, 9.00 A. M., arrives Fayetteville 12.15 P. M., leaves Fayetteville 12.25 P. M., arrives Sanford 1.43 P. M. Returning leaves Sanford 2.30 P. M., arrives Fayetteville 3.45 P. M., leaves Fayetteville 3.50 P. M., arrives Wilmington 6.50 P. M.

Wilmington and Weldon Railroad, Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Bennettsville 8.15 A. M. Maxton 9.20 A. M., Red Springs 9.53 A. M., Hope Mills 10.42 A. M., arrive Fayetteville 10.55 A. M. Returning leaves Fayetteville 4.40 P. M., Hope Mills 4.55 P. M., Red Springs 5.35 P. M., Maxton 6.15 P. M., arrives Bennettsville 7.15 P. M.

Connections at Fayetteville with No. 78, at Maxton with the Carolina Central Railroad, at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowmore Railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line and Southern Railway, at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad.

Trains on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 3.55 P. M., Halifax 4.15 P. M.; arrive Scotland Neck 5.08 P. M., Greenville 6.57 P. M., Kinston 7.55 P. M. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.50 A. M., Greenville 8.52 A. M.; arriving Halifax at 11.18 A. M., Weldon 11.33 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.10 A. M. and 2.30 P. M.; arrive Parmele 9.10 A. M. and 4.00 P. M.; returning leaves Parmele 9.35 A. M. and 6.30 P. M.; arrives Washington 11.00 A. M. and 7.20 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 5.30 P. M.; Sunday, 4.15 P. M.; arrives Plymouth 7.40 P. M. and 6.10 P. M. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7.50 A. M. and Sunday 9.00 A. M.; arrive Tarboro 10.05 A. M. and 11.00 A. M.

Trains leave Goldsboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 7.05 A. M.; arrives Smithfield, N. C., 8.10 A. M. Returning leaves Smithfield 9.00 A. M.; arrives Goldsboro 10.25 A. M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 9.30 A. M., 3.40 P. M.; arrives Nashville 10.10 A. M., 4.03 P. M., Spring Hope 10.40 A. M., 4.55 P. M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 11.00 A. M., 4.55 P. M. Nashville 11.22 A. M.; 5.25 P. M., arrives at Rocky Mount 11.45 A. M., 6.00 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leave Warsaw for Clinton, daily except Sunday, at 11.40 A. M. and 4.15 P. M. Returning, leave Clinton at 7.00 A. M. and 2.50 P. M.

Train leaves Pee Dee 10.02 A. M., arrive Latta 10.24 A. M., Dillon 10.36 A. M., Rowland 10.54 A. M. Returning, leaves Rowland 6.00 P. M.; arrives Dillon 6.20 P. M., Latta 6.35 P. M., Pee Dee 7.00 P. M., daily.

Trains on Conway Branch leave Boardman at 3.00 P. M., Chadbourn 5.35 P. M.; arrive Conway 7.40 P. M.; leave Conway 8.30 A. M., Chadbourn 11.20 A. M.; arrive Boardman 12.25 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Sumter 7.13 P. M., Manning 5.41 P. M.; arrive Lane's 6.17 P. M.; leave Lane's 8.34 A. M., Manning 9.09 A. M.; arrive Sumter 9.40 A. M. Daily.

Georgetown and Western Railroad leave Lane's 9.30 A. M., 7.40 P. M.; arrive Georgetown 12.00 M., 9.00 P. M.; leave Georgetown 7.00 A. M.; 3.30 P. M.; arrive Lane's 8.25 A. M.; 5.55 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Florence daily except Sunday at 9.50 A. M.; arrive Darlington 10.15 A. M., Hartsville 9.15 P. M., Cheraw 11.30 A. M., Wadesboro 12.35 P. M.; leave Florence daily except Sunday at 7.55 P. M.; arrive Darlington 8.20 P. M., Bennettsville 9.17 P. M., Gibson 10.20 P. M. Leave Florence Sunday only 9.30 A. M., arrive Darlington 10.05 A. M.

Leave Gibson daily except Sunday at 6.00 A. M., Bennettsville 7.00 A. M.; arrive Darlington 8.00 A. M. Leave Darlington 8.50 A. M.; arrive Florence 9.15 A. M. Leave Wadesboro daily except Sunday 4.10 P. M., Cheraw 5.15 P. M., Hartsville 7.00 A. M., Darlington 6.29 P. M.; arrive Florence 7.00 P. M. Leave Darlington Sunday only at 8.50 A. M., arrive Florence 9.15 A. M.

Wilson and Fayetteville Branch leave Wilson 1.58 P. M., 11.14 P. M., arrive Selma 2.50 P. M. 11.57 P. M., Smithfield 3.02 P. M., Dunn 3.40 P. M., Fayetteville 4.25 P. M., 1.06 A. M., Rowland 6.00 P. M. returning leave Rowland 10.54 A. M., Fayetteville 12.20 P. M., 9.40 P. M., Dunn 1.04 P. M., Smithfield 1.43 P. M. Selma 1.50 P. M., 10.52 P. M., arrive Wilson 2.35 P. M., 11.31 A. M.

Trains leave Sumter 4.29 A. M., Creston 5.17 A. M., arrive Denmark 6.12 A. M. Returning, leave Denmark 4.17 P. M., Creston 5.13 P. M., Sumter 6.03 P. M. Daily.

Trains leave Creston 5.45 A. M., arrives Pregnalls 9.15 A. M. Returning leaves Pregnalls 10.00 A. M., arrives Creston 3.50 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

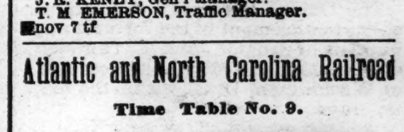
Bishopville Branch trains leave Elliott 10.35 A. M., and arrive Lucknow 12.15 P. M. Returning, leave Lucknow 2.10 P. M., arrive Elliotts 3.50 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

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Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad

Time Table No. 9.



To Take Effect Tuesday, Aug. 8, 1899. at 9 A. M.

GOING EAST. GOING WEST.

3 Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	3 Pass'g'r Trains Leave	STATIONS.	4 Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	4 Pass'g'r Trains Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
....	3 40	Goldsboro........	11 05	....
....	4 32	Kinston........	10 12	....
5 40	5 50	Newbern........	8 37	9 00
7 02	7 07	Morehead City........	7 22	7 27
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.35 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M. and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train, arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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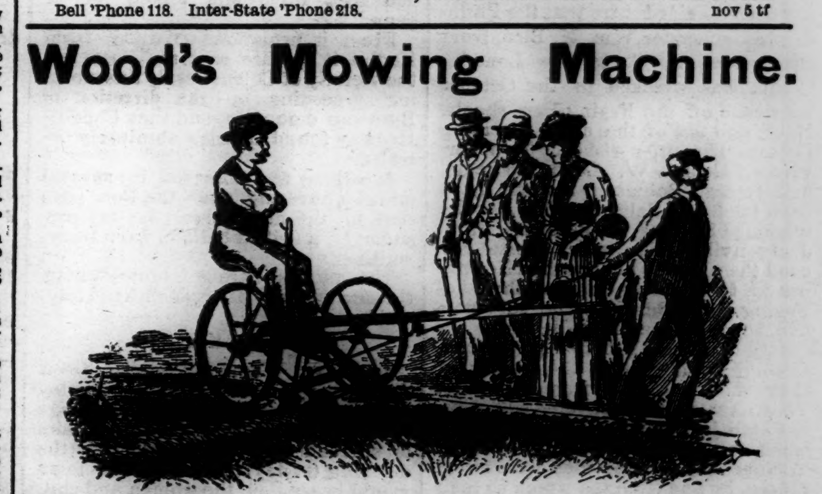
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$15............	"	"	"	....	$4290
$ 1............	for	10 years	"	....	$ 637
$ 2............	"	"	"	....	$1274
$ 3............	"	"	"	....	$1911
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$10............	"	"	"	....	$6370
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The Morning Star.

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SUNDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 12.

THE SITUATION IN THE PHILIPPINES.

Advices Received from Gen. Otis—A Captured Insurgent Dispatch of Some Importance.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, November 11.—Three important dispatches from General Otis were received at the War Department to-day, showing the hardships and difficulties of the country for our troops in their advance and giving a captured insurgent dispatch showing the line of argument put forward to sustain the insurrection. The dispatches are as follows:

"*Manila, November 11th, 1899.*—Severe typhoons over Panay last two days impeded the march of General Hughes' troops; his column is several miles north of west of Iloilo. Insurgents have abandoned strong defences in that section."

"Lawton is pushing troops through on Lupadimgan and Sanquentin road; but the country is submerged; bridges and recently constructed rafts washed out and wheel transportation cannot move. His reliance is on the cavalry, a few infantry and native scouts who are living mostly on the country. MacArthur commenced to advance early this morning. Yesterday two companies of the Seventeenth infantry, under Chynoweth, making a reconnoissance on the Magalong and Conception road, struck a battalion of the enemy which left twenty-nine dead on the field; our casualties are reported as three wounded."

A number of insurgent dispatches were captured yesterday by General Young's tr ops in the north and forwarded by Lawton last night. They indicate a direct abandonment by the enemy of the country in the vicinity of Cabanatuan and San Jose and hurried movements by way of Taying over the mountains to Bayonbonay, thence on to Apirra. Among the dispatches the following appears:

"*Tarlac, November 3.*—Otis did not accept proposition to day; enemy attacked our outposts because Otis promised McKinley to take Tarlac to day; think they cannot break through; take care of prisoners, as therein lies our great hopes, especially (for) our wives. There is no such miscruit (?) either by the government or by Miong. Spanish commissioners tried to deceive us, dealing with us as insurgents; our government sent them away, and they withdrew greatly displeased. Quadruple alliance between Germany, France, Russia and Spain is a fact. Before December we will know our fate. Throughout Europe there is sympathy for our cause—American Democrats clearly in our favor; they are sure of Bryan's triumph next election. Pay no attention to your affairs and never mind the rest."

The dispatches are given verbatim, as received, with several unintelligible words, including "miscruit." Inquiry is being made to learn whether this is a cable error or a word used in the insurgent dispatch.

OFF FRYING-PAN SHOALS.

Schooner Wm. M. Bird Wrecked in the October Hurricane—The Master and Ten Men Drowned.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

PHILADELPHIA, November 11.—News has been received here that the Philadelphia schooner Wm. M. Bird, from Charleston, S. C., to New London, Conn., was wrecked in the October hurricane off the Frying-Pan shoals, N. C., and ten of the crew, including Captain Barrett, perished. Two survivors, George W. Loud, the mate, and George Robinson, seaman, have been landed at Salisbury, Md., by the schooner Samuel T. Beachem, from Jacksonville, Fla., which vessel rescued them on the afternoon of November 3d, twenty-nine miles southwest of Frying Pan lightship. The survivors had been without food or water for ninety hours and suffered great hardships, having chewed the leather of their shoes to keep from starving. They have not yet recovered sufficiently to tell just how their comrades perished, but they state in an incoherent manner that the lost men were swept off one by one from the wreck as their strength grew weaker and drowned. The Wm. M. Bird, as Captain John Steelman, master of the Beachem, states, became water-logged at 11 P. M., on October 30th, and was a complete wreck in five minutes.

REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Proceedings at Yesterday's Session of the Southern Synod in Charlotte.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., November 11.—At to-day's session of the Southern Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, Rev. J. T. Chalmers was elected president of Erskine College, at Due West.

Rev. C. S. Cleland, the United Presbyterian delegate to the Synod, who had been introduced during the morning and been invited to sit as a consultative member, at the time addressed the Synod.

In his response to Mr. Cleland's address, the moderator said among other things: "As to union, I will say that we desire it, but we have taken no action as to the time. Candidly, some of us are not ready yet. I believe in union. I believe there is oneness of divine truth as well as of mathematical truth or geographical truth. Large blessings have followed those branches of the church which have united. Let us keep open the way for fellowship and continue these annual gatherings."

Louisville was chosen as the next place of meeting.

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THE INVESTMENT OF KIMBERLEY.

Boers' Artillery Shelled the Town But Caused No Great Damage.

THE SITUATION AT MAFEKING.

Boers' Attack Repulsed With Severe Loss. British Loss Was Slight—No Advices from Ladysmith—More Troops En Route to Durban.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LONDON, Nov. 11.—The day has brought forth no great news, and little change has taken place either in Natal or on the North and Northeastern frontiers of Cape Colony. The chief fact is the opening of the bombardment of Kimberley on Tuesday by Free State artillery, which proved, according to an official statement, utterly ineffective. The Boer investment of the town, however, is said to be lightening.

Skirmishing between the Kimberley mounted troops and the Boers early in the week resulted in severe Boer losses, the British force losing one killed and one wounded.

Advices from Orange river confirm the report of the Free State troops, advance upon the north of Cape Colony, but owing to the retirement of the British forces from the borderland, no serious collision has yet occurred

The coming week, however, is certain to see important development in this district.

An official dispatch recording a skirmish near Belmont, in which Colonel Falconer was killed, three other officers were wounded—one dangerously—and two privates slightly wounded, is far from clear. It is not known whether Colonel Falconer was preparing for a British advance or was merely endeavoring to ascertain the numbers of the Boers. It is considered somewhat remarkable that four out of the six casualties should have happened to officers, and this is thought to need some explanation.

The British lost a good man in Colonel Falconer, who was a cousin of the Earl of Kintore. He did good service in the Soudan under General Kitchener, from the Dongola expedition to the capture of Berber.

The dispatch from Mafeking show, that Colonel Baden Powell's little force is still not merely holding its own, but is daily inflicting more or less severe punishment upon the Boers, whose artillery has apparently proved valueless.

Nothing has filtered through to-day from Ladysmith, which everybody expects to be the theatre of thrilling events during the coming week. Transports carrying 3,000 British troops are already enroute to Durban, having passed Cape Town and the Boers must strike a decisive blow at Ladysmith now or never.

Situation at Colenso.

ESTCOURT, NATAL, Tuesday, Nov. 7.—An armored train manned by an engineering staff and a company of the Dublin fusiliers under Captain Hensley returned here to-night. It reports that it found the stores at Freere looted apparently by Kaffirs, and met cyclists patrols who reported that the Boers were on the Springfield road five miles away. The train proceeded cautiously and found the Blue Spruit bridge intact. The train frequently stopped and Captain Hensley examined the road before proceeding.

At Colenso, Capt. Hensley inspected Fort Nicholson, and proceeding, found the line cut a mile south of Colenso. Two lengths of the rail on each line had been lifted and placed out of gauge.

From information obtained from Kaffirs, it appears that the Boers left the vicinity of Colenso early this morning, proceeding in the direction of Buluwan mountain, and that Captain Hensley found Colenso absolutely deserted.

A balloon was observed for several minutes hovering over the Boer position in the mountains. It was presumably, a British balloon from Ladysmith.

The natives here are undertaking the safe delivery of dispatches in Ladysmith.

Bombarded Kimberley.

BARKLEY WEST, November 7.—A dispatch received from Kimberley says: "General Cronje sent a message to Colonel Kekewich, calling on him to surrender before 6 o'clock in the morning (to-day); otherwise the town would be shelled, the women and children remaining at Kekewich's risk. The Boers, it was added, surround Kimberley in great force, with heavy artillery."

PRETORIA, November 7.—The bombardment and attack on Kimberley began this morning.

LONDON, November 11.—The following announcement was made by the War Office this afternoon: "General Buller wires to day that Col. Kekewich reported November 8th that the bombardment of Kimberley November 7th did no damage and that there were no casualties.

DURBAN, NATAL, November 8.—A large force of men and guns from the British first class cruiser Terrible have started for the front.

Troops Arrive at Cape Town.

LONDON, November 11.—It is officially announced that the troop ships Yorkshire, Lismore Castle and Aurania have arrived at Cape Town with 3,676 troops. The two steamers first named immediately proceeded to Durban. It is supposed the Aurania's troops will be landed at Cape Town.

CAPE TOWN, November 7.—It is reported that a Boer force from Smithfield has crossed the frontier. It is estimated to be 4,000 strong, with field guns.

The latest advices are that the Boers had not entered Aliwalnorth yesterday evening, but the Besstekraal force of Boers was momentarily expected.

It is said the Boers have already captured some police and others on the outskirts of Aliwalnorth, and the place is deserted and defenceless.

The railroad has been cut at Vryburg, two stations south of Aliwalnorth.

Another Boer force is reported to have marched past Burghersdorp toward Queenstown.

Shelling Mafeking.

CAPE TOWN, November 8.—News received from Mafeking, undated, says that on Monday the Boers shelled the town. One Boer gun was knocked out of action and the Boers retired but were reinforced, attacked again and were again repulsed. Tuesday they shelled the Cangan kopje, with little damage. Wednesday there was a general attack under the cover of artillery, but it was repulsed by the maxims and Hotchkiss guns. The Boer loss was fifty killed. The British loss was slight. Thursday shelling by a heavy gun was renewed and the Boers massed with the intention of making an attack, but this was prevented by a thunder storm. Friday there was desultory rifle fire and an occasional shell, but there was little loss of life, due to the excellence of the shelter in the trenches. The health and spirits of the troops are good.

DAUGHTERS OF CONFEDERACY

Officers of the United Association Elected. Montgomery the Next Place of Meeting.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

RICHMOND, VA., Nov. 11 -At the morning session of the convention of the Daughters of the Confederacy a letter was received from Mrs. Jefferson Davis, thanking the Daughters for "the splendid manifestation of your love and esteem for my Winnie."

The convention endorsed the movement of several gentlemen to buy "Beauvoir," and turn it into a home for Confederate soldiers and sailors Mrs Davis offers to sell Beauvoir for that purpose for $25,000.

Mrs. E. G. Weed, of Jacksonville, Fla., wife of Bishop Weed, of Florida, was elected president of the United Daughters by acclamation. The other officers elected are: Mrs. William Reed, New York, first vice president; Mrs F. T. McCullough, Staunton, second vice president; Mrs. John K. Hickman, Nashville, Tenn., recording secretary; Miss Mary F. Meares, North Carolina, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Jefferson Thomas, Atlanta, treasurer.

Montgomery, Ala., is to be the next meeting place.

The United Daughters of the Confederacy, at their final session to night, which did not adjourn until midnight, rescinded with great unanimity their action of the morning in regard to purchasing the Beauvoir estate, and requested the newspapers throughout the country to make notice of the fact.

The Daughters voted $500 from their treasury to the Davis monument fund. The monument committee, consisting on one member from each State, held a meeting and decided to constitute a small working executive committee, to be located here, which can co-operate with the Davis monument association, and the matter of raising funds for the monument is to be vigorously pressed.

DEWEY IN NEW YORK.

Beset by a Mob in the Streets—Had to Take Refuge in a Store.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, November 11.—Admiral Dewey says he likes New York; wants to stay here a few days and will be sorry to leave; but he will be obliged to cut short his visit if he is accorded any more such receptions as he and his bride received to-day at Fifteenth street and Union Square. A crowd followed the admiral and Mrs. Dewey as they walked down Fifth avenue from the hotel at Fifteenth street, gathered around them and kept them imprisoned. The crowd shouted and hurrahed and some attempts were made to raise the admiral on the shoulders of some of the more zealous of the enthusiasts. Admiral Dewey begged and implored the people to proceed, but finally he had to take refuge in a store from which he escaped by a door to a side street.

COLLEGE FOOT BALL.

The Result of Games Played by the Various Teams Yesterday.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

Columbia defeated West Point by a score of sixteen to nothing.

The University of Pennsylvania foot ball team defeated the University of Michigan eleven by the close score of eleven to ten.

In her final game for the championship contest with Harvard, Yale easily defeated the Pennsylvania State College eleven at football by the score of 42 to 0.

Harvard beat Dartmouth 11 to 0 in a drenching rain.

WARM WIRELETS.

Princeton defeated the Carlisle Indians at New York. The total at the finish was 12 to 0 in favor of the Tigers.

University of Virginia took the foot ball game from Virginia Polytechnic Institute by a score of 28 to 0.

Vice President Hobart spent another comfortable night and yesterday morning there was no material change in his condition.

A large crowd attended the game between Sewanee and Tulane Universities which was won easily by Sewanee by a score of 23 to 0.

Rumors are in circulation at Brest, France, that a British transport has foundered off the Island of Ushant, on the coast of Britainny.

Messages from the storm devastated districts report that Wednesday's hurricane was the most severe experienced in Jamaica for many years.

A band of robbers opened two safes in Clarkesville, Ga., Friday night and secured about $1,000 in cash, checks amounting to a large, sum and many valuable papers.

Mr. W. F. Bell, assistant postmaster at Exmore, Va., was arrested yesterday by inspector Maxwell, for issuing bogus money orders to the amount of $1,400, to defray his personal expenses.

At Washington, Ga., Will Taylor was found guilty of the murder of Jeb Dennard and sentenced to ninety-nine years in the penitentiary. This is the second time Taylor has been convicted of murder.

The Omaha *Bee* to-day will publish an announcement of the forthcoming nuptials of Senator John M. Thurston, of Nebraska, and Miss Lola Pearman, of Washington, D. C., within the next ten days.

Marshal Troutman, of Fort Valley, Ga., and Albert Seifert, his deputy, were wounded in a fight with Jeff Jones, a negro charged with murder, whom they were trying to capture today. The negro was also shot and dangerously wounded.

The Congress of San Domingo has proclaimed Senor Jiminez president of Santo Domingo, and Senor Vasquez vice president. They will enter into office December 1st, when the constitution will undergo a change. The country is quiet and business is improving.

The weekly bank statement shows the following changes: Surplus reserve, decrease $2,450,600; loans, decrease $7,151,100; specie, decrease $3,386,900; legal tenders, decrease $1,830,500; deposits, decrease $11,067,200 circulation, increase $154,700. The banks now hold $2,788,950 less than the requirements of the 25 per cent. rule.

A Monster Devil Fish

Destroying its victim is a type of Constipation. The power of this murderous malady is felt on organs and nerves and muscles and brain. There's no health till it's overcome. But Dr. King's New Life Pills are a safe and certain cure. Best in the world for Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels. Only 25c at ROBT. R. BELLAMY's drug store. †

If you wish to sell a farm or city property place it in the hands of the East Carolina Real Estate Agency. R. G. Grady & Co., Burgaw, N. C. †

DEMOCRATS STILL CLAIM KENTUCKY.

Official Returns So Far Show a Plurality for Goebel for Governor.

COUNT NOT YET FINISHED.

Republicans Figure Taylor's Election—Much Depends Upon the Result of Contests That Are Being Made in Several Counties.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

LOUISVILLE, KY., November 11.—The second day of the official count has disclosed no startling changes from the unofficial figures. Both sides still claim the State though the Democratic estimate was somewhat reduced to-day. Reports from over ninety of the 119 counties give Goebel a plurality of a little over 7,000 votes on the official count. The Democratic unofficial reports from the remaining counties show enough Taylor pluralities to wipe this out and leave a margin for the Republican candidate. Much depends, however, upon contests being made in several counties on the ground of alleged irregularities.

The determination of these points may cause a change from present estimates of the results. The official count has shown that the two candidates for Governor ran far ahead of their tickets all over the State. Goebel is leading it by an average of 25 votes to the county. In Grayson county, where the Democratic bolt was strong, he leads the ticket by 50 votes.

Taylor appears to be leading his ticket by an even greater average than Goebel. In Grayson county Taylor leads over Marshal, the candidate for Lieutenant Governor, by 134 votes. In Taylor county Goebel leads his ticket by 55 and Taylor by 35.

FRANKFORT, KY., November 11.—It is rumored that Congressman David Smith, of the campaign committee, has given up the claim that Goebel has been elected, but this cannot be verified. The rumor is pronounced false by Goebel leaders here. Goebel's election is strongly claimed, but no figures are given. Republican leaders figure Taylor's election by 5,000 or more to-night, basing their estimates on unexpected gains shown by returns coming in late to-day. Contests are inevitable and they will be argued before the State election board by legal counsel on both sides as to the law bearing on each particular case.

LOUISVILLE, KY., November 11.—Reports have been received by the *Commercial*, Republican, up to midnight, from 111 of the 119 counties, giving the official count. These give Goebel pluralities of 17,169 and Taylor pluralities of 13,435; Goebel's net pluralities 3,734.

The eight unreported counties are Rowan, Jefferson, Knox and Harrison, in which the canvassing boards have adjourned until Monday, and Johnson, Menefee, Cumberland and Letcher, which have not yet sent in their official counts.

The eight counties, according to the unofficial figures heretofore received by the *Commercial* give Taylor pluralities of 6,656 and Goebel pluralities of 1,032; Taylor's net plurality 5,624. Deducting this from Goebel's plurality of 3,743 in eleven counties leaves Taylor a plurality in the whole State of 1,890.

The Democratic unofficial returns from the eight unreported counties show a net Taylor plurality of 4,952. Using these figures with the *Commercial's* official plurality of 3,834 from 111 counties, still leaves Taylor a plurality of 1,218.

Claims Goebel's Election.

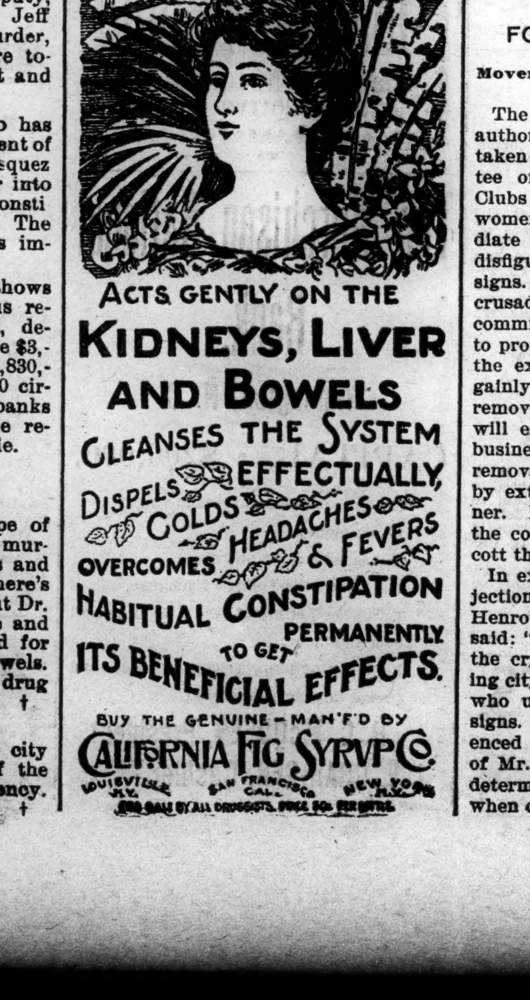
The *Courier Journal*, at midnight, figures out a plurality of 155 for Goebel. This is based on official reports from ninety-eight counties and unofficial from the remaining twenty-one. The county commissioners of Nelson, according to the *Courier Journal*, have thrown out 1,190 votes cast for W. P. Taylor instead of W. S. Taylor.

Troops on Guard at Frankfort

FRANKFORT, KY., November 11.—It became known to-night that a squad of State militia men had been secreted in the State arsenal for several nights past. The soldiers or officials refuse to tell by whose orders they are doing guard duty but it develops that they have been on guard since Tuesday evening, when Goebel was given a great demonstration upon arriving here, and threats were made by several white Republicans should Governor Bradley refuse to recognize Goebel as Governor, if given a certificate of election by the State Board of Elections

U. S. Court Convened.

FRANKFORT, KY., November 11.—United States Judge Evans notified Commissioner Chapman here to-day that a special grand jury would be convened in Louisville Monday to try all cases of persons brought before it charged with interfering with negro voters. Wingate Thompson and Coleman Carr were held here in $1,000 bond each on this charge. They were Democratic election officers.



MADE STATE BLOOM.

WORK OF ILLINOIS HORTICULTURAL SOCIETIES.

What Fifty Years of Endeavor Has Done For Fruit Growing, Forestry, Vegetables and the Beautifying of Parks and Homes.

Were a history of the horticulture of Illinois for the last half century to be written it necessarily would include the history of the horticultural societies of the state, for to the effort of these organizations is largely due the knowledge of the capabilities and resources of the state and the diffusion of horticultural information. The pioneers in this work, for the most part, were men in the nursery business, who did much for the propagation and dissemination of trees and plants for fruit, shelter and ornament in the Prairie State.

Previous to 1850 efforts had been made to secure an organization of these interests, but not until a meeting held at Princeton in 1851 did they result successfully. At that time was formed the Northwestern Fruit Growers' association, with John H. Bryant as president and Samuel Edwards as secretary. Its largest membership was in Illinois, but it also included southern Wisconsin and eastern Iowa. Meetings were held successively at Dixon, Chicago, Burlington and Alton. The Burlington meeting was notable for its exhibition of apples, rivaling in extent and perfection anything of later years. The meeting at Alton seems to have been the last.

In 1856 the Illinois State Horticultural society was organized at Decatur, with Dr. E. S. Hull as its first president. In 1857 the society was incorporated, and from that time on the list of officers and members has included the names of all the prominent horticulturists of the state. The earlier members devoted not only time and expense to attend the meetings and furnish papers and discussions, but often contributed the money necessary to publish and distribute the proceedings for the benefit of the public.

In 1867 the legislature, recognizing the value of the society and the work it was doing, made an appropriation for the purpose of extending its field. This has been continued and added to, and now the biennial appropriation for this society is regarded by the general assembly as one sure to be carefully and economically managed and beneficent in its results.

Since the reorganization of the society its management has been vested in an executive board, consisting of the president and secretary, elected by the state society, and the president and vice president of each of the three district societies, the northern, central and southern. The district societies hold annual meetings. The state society holds its annual meeting usually the last week in December, and its programme is made up of the best available talent of the state, assisted generally by some of the prominent horticulturists of neighboring states.

An edition of 5,000 copies of the annual report is published and furnished free to the life and annual members of the state and district societies, to public libraries and various local horticultural societies and distributed through the County Farmers' institutes. It is conceded these reports are not surpassed in practical information and completeness by any other state report published in the country.

An attractive addition to the winter meetings of the society are exhibits of fruits, nuts and vegetables, for which liberal premiums are offered. In the earlier years public fairs or exhibitions occasionally were held during the season when fruit and flowers were most abundant.

The Illinois fruit exhibit at Chicago in 1893 was a notable one and did much to call attention to Illinois as a fruit producing state. In all 429 varieties of fruits were shown.

At the Omaha exposition in 1898 a successful exhibit was kept up from June to November.

But it is not the fruit industry alone that receives the fostering care of this society. Flower and vegetable gardening, the conservation of forests, the planting of groves and the ornamentation of parks and home grounds all receive attention.

Result of Good Example.

The good example of New Orleans in providing the means for improving the sanitary condition of the city may be the incentive for like needed action in other cities. Public spirited citizens of Galveston have acted thus early in the matter. They have organized the Cleaner Galveston league and have started out vigorously on a campaign of education and agitation. Their platform is a comprehensive one. They ask for the immediate establishment of a thorough sanitary inspection system, for a strengthening of the ordinance in regard to the use of garbage cans and for the immediate and regular cleaning of outhouses and cesspools. They urge the city council to formulate a plan of finance commensurate with the city's needs in the way of sanitation, and they look forward to the inauguration of a municipal sewerage plant, which would render cesspools unnecessary.

In the Newspaper.

An advertisement in a newspaper finds access to the homes of the people. It is not thrown into the waste paper basket or the fire as soon as its character is known, as a majority of handbills and advertising pamphlets are. It is not ignored or regarded with either aversion or contempt, as posters generally are. It comes to readers with the authority behind it of the journal in which it appears, and it confronts many of them when they have the leisure to consider its terms.—Rochester Chronicle.

FOR AN ARTISTIC CITY.

Movement In Chicago Against Objectionable Signs.

The protest of Henry B. Fuller, the author, against inartistic Chicago, was taken up recently by the civic committee of the League of Cook County Clubs at the Palmer House. The dozen women present resolved to take immediate action against advertisers who disfigure the city with objectionable signs. The delegates are to begin their crusade mildly. Each member of the committee has been requested to write to prominent advertisers who proclaim the excellence of their wares on ungainly signboards and to ask them to remove the objectionable signs. They will explain to these men that their business will be benefited more by the removal of the disfiguring signs than by extensive advertising in this manner. Failing in this, the members of the committee will take steps to boycott the obstinate advertisers.

In explaining what is considered objectionable in signboards Mrs. Charles Henrotin, chairman of the committee, said: "We are not taking up especially the cry of the women of a neighboring city who denounced the advertisers who use pictures of women in their signs. Neither have we been influenced particularly by the utterances of Mr. Fuller, the author, but we are determined to have an artistic Chicago when our work is completed."

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Wanted—Three Soprano; three Alto, three Tenor and three Bass Singers for occasional (church) chorus work. For particulars, call on or address the undersigned. Good voices desired. Don't forget to have your Piano tuned. John G. Russell, 413 Orange street. no 12 tf

Valuable Land for Sale—100 acres; 35 cleared, balance well timbered. One Dwelling and other out houses. One mile south Farmers, on W., C. & A R. R., 13 miles from Wilming on. Cash or easy terms. A cheap place for the right pers n. Good reasons for selling. Address W. A. Sue, Leland, N. C. no 12 1t*

Agents, Salesmen, Wagon Representatives introducing new Soaps; special advertising plan; big inducements; just the thing. Soap Manufacturer, 86 Broad, N. Y su no 12 2t*

Male Help Wanted—Government P si tions. Don't Prepare for any Civil S rvice or Census Examination without seeing our Catalogue of Information. Sent free. Columbian Correspondence College, Washington, D C no 5 2t* su

Madam Amae—Spiritual, trance and business Medium. Reads life from the cradle to the grave with absolute correctness. Will give the name of your future husband or wife with exact date of your marriage. All in trouble, whether business or family, or if you have lost anything, or want to know anything of past or future, call on her and she will certainly help you. Office hours from 9 A M. to 9 P M. At 115 Dock street, between Front and Second. nov 11 1w*

Lost, strayed or swiped—Two Maltese Kittens, half grown; six toes on front feet. A reward. 220 North Front street. nov 10 tf

Photographic Bargains—Bargain No. 1: One dozen Carbonet Cabinet Photo, worth $3 50; one 16x20 Frame worth $2.50; any Picture enlarged, worth $3 00; one easel, worth $1 50; total, $10.50. All for $5.50 Bargain No 2: One dozen Photos. worth $3 00; one 10x12 Frame and enlarged Picture, worth $3 0; total, $6.00 All for $3.90. A word to the wise is sufficient. U. C. Ellis, 114 Market street. nov 9 tf

Wanted—All kinds of Country Produce, Chickens, Eggs, Apples, Cabbage and Country Hams. Your shipments solicited. Highest prices prompt returns. W. C Page, Commission Merchant, No. 6 Princess street. nov 7 tf

We are carrying the day in the Photograph line Read our offer from now until November 28th Bring this advertisement with you, and we will give you 25c for it, and make you one dozen Cabinet Photographs Carbonet finish, best work, for $3 48, and give you one 16x20 Crayon Portrait free of charge as a Christmas gift to our customers. We have secured the services of an expert Artist of Chicago to do our work during this time Yours for good work, low prices, fine presents. Star studio, 116 Market street. no 5 tf

You can walk up A—— street without being disturbed by the clanging of untuned Pianos. We've been there, see! But on G—— street—never mind we are working there now, and everything will be harmonious shortly. Those on other streets will be attended to in regular order. Is your order in? John G. Russell, 413 Orange street. oc 29 tf

Oyster Roasts—Fine Oyster Roasts are now being served at the Atlantic View Hotel, Wrightsville Sound. See large sign over gate right at Seacoast depot. Ladies and gentlemen are invited to give our Roasts a trial Obliging and polite attendance. Horses cared for. Bell 'Phone No 12, Wrightsville, John H. Hanby, owner. oct 26 1m

Fresh Ground Graham and Rye Flour Seed Rye, Wheat and all kinds mixed Feed for horses and cattle. John S. McEachern, 211 Market street. 'Phones 92. oc 15 tf.

Tom and Jerry, Hot Spiced Rum, Hot Scotch, Hot Whiskey, Hot Lunch and Oysters every day at The Globe, No. 22 Market street oct 3 tf

For Sale—Hand-made Buggies of different makes. Also Harness of all kinds; and prices to suit the times. Come and see me when in need of something nice. P. H. Hayden. sep 24 tf

Why not call on Marshall & Jones for your Blacksmith and Wheelwright work. Electrical Bell work and Plumbing at their General Repair Shops, Seventeenth and Market streets? Bell 'Phone 474, Inter-State 127 call 4. Competent workmen in every department. sep 24 tf

Large consignment Mt. Airy Apples to-day. Choice stock for quick sale. Bananas, Oranges, Lemons and Choice Confections. Best Up-country Butter always on hand. A. S. Winstead, Second street, corner postoffice green. jy 20 tf

Wanted—Peaches, Apples, Plums, Grapes and all kinds of Fruits. Also, all kinds of Produce. Good prices and prompt returns guaranteed. B. B. Moore, Commission Merchant, No. 5 Dock street. je 11 tf

Turpentine Still and Fixtures complete. For sale low. The Worth Co. apr 7 tf

For Sale—At Burgaw, in good order, one 15 horse-power Engine and Boiler, one 50 saw Cotton Gin, one Brooks Press. Apply to The Worth Co. fe 28 tf

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We have Bagging and Ties at prices that suit.

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Baumberg's German Fancy Knotted Cheviots. Pembroke Mills Fancy Cassimeres. Meinhard's Fancy Diagonals.

Up-to-date Trouserings.

Anchor Mills Fancy Plaid Wool Cheviots. Holland Mills Fancy Worsteds. A pretty Line of Clay Worsteds, Lots of other Fancies in Pantings and Suitings we could mention.

All these goods we have in stock—not in the newspapers. Work first class and Trimmings Not Excelled anywhere Your Trade Solicited.

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A large and well selected stock of

Fancy and Staple Groceries. We ask special attention to our superior facilities for handling orders and giving them quick dispatch.

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HALL & PEARSALL,

sep 20 tf Wholesale Grocers.

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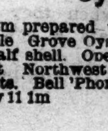
J. H. HINTZ.

Inter-State 'Phone 328, Bell 'Phone 128.

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Visit our New Toy Department at 108 Market street.

Goods selected now put away until called for, or sent home when desired. nov 12 tf

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All kinds of Shades made to order.

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I have had a busy week. My store has been filled with customers. I have a special sale day. I quote hard cash bargains on any line of Dry Goods.

I am pushing my Clothing stock. I have sold more nice suits this week than I have ever sold any week. I have all grades. Young men, old men, rich men and poor men can come and get suited in fine and good clothing. I have suits as low as $2.00, but I sell a good all wool Dickey Currey Suit, worth $7.00, for $4 50 A fine nice wove Suit, in nice styles, at $5.00. At least 400 suits to select from. A big collection at $6.00 and $7.50 a suit. Our blue Serge, extra good, nice new goods, up-to-date, at $8 50 and $10 00. Our Clay Worsted Suits are very good, from $8.00 to $12 50. We have 300 Overcoats that I want to move. I can fix you up in nice shape in a good Overcoat from $2 50 to $10 00, any style and color. I have about 1,000 Boys' Suits to sell. I will sell you a nice suit for $1 00, but a nice Wool Suit at $1 50. A Vest suit, three pieces, Coat, Vest and Pants, from 4 to 8 years, all wool, nicely trimmed, at $1.50; and we sell Youth's Long Pants Suits from $2.98 to $5 00. We can show you as nice an assortment of Clothing as any house in the city and by far cheaper.

Shoes—In School Shoes we have all solid Dongola Children Shoes, sizes from 4's to 6's, at 50c and 60c; Misses' sizes from 7's to 9's, at 65c and 75c; 10's to 13's, at 90c; from 13's to 2's, for $1 00. These are the best Shoes made for children and every pair warranted to wear well. We have Ladies' Dongola solid Shoes, patent tip, for $1 00. I have the Bay State line made in latest styles and of best Dongola Kid, a neat stylish and good Ladies' Boot in lace and button, $1 50. I have all grades of Ladies', Gents' and Children's Shoes. I have at least 600 pairs, all bought for the hard cold cash at the lowest price. Come to us for your own and your family's Footwear.

I have just received to day a big lot of new Hats for the Ladies. We have the new Felts, all the fads in new shapes, at all prices, from 29c to $1.50 each.

We have to day received a big lot of new Silk. I can show you a handsome line of Silk from 50c to $1.00. We have as big assortment of Silks as you can find, and as new styles as there are to be had.

We have all classes of Carpet and Matting, and a chance to show our line is a proof we sell the goods.

We are having a fine Fall business. Our trade is much larger than last year, and I am very much obliged to the people for the patronage, and I ask one and all for their inspection and trade. We have the goods, and I want to sell them.

Give Me a Call for Bargains in Dry Goods, at Wilmington's Big Racket Store.

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Having concluded negotiations for the purchase of this superior and well established brand of Soda, manufactured by The Roanoke Chemical Company, we will continue its manufacture. We are now prepared to fill the orders of the trade for this popular Goods, put up in packages of all sizes to suit the trade.

Reliable Brand of Soda.

We will also continue the manufacture of our own "Reliable Brand" of Soda, which is guaranteed to be as good as any on the market. Goods put up in packages to suit.

Your trade is solicited.

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